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Will Stop Water Service of Delinquent Users

Whereas, the books and records of the Village Treasurer disclose numerous delinquent water service accounts and whereas, several notices have been served upon the users whose accounts are now delinquent.

Now Therefore, he it resolved that all users of the Village water service whose accounts are now six months or more past due and delinquent be given 30 days notice by the Village Treasurer that payment shall be made at the expiration of said period of 30 days otherwise the Village water service shall be discontinued.

It is further resolved, that notice of this resolution shall be published in a local newspaper on Thursday, May 14th, 1931. It is hereby understood by this resolution that the

said Village Treasurer shall consider it his duty to have discontinued all water service to delinquent users after notice has been duly served and the account remains unpaid.

It is further resolved, that a charge of \$5.00 shall be made upon all users whose water service has been discontinued in accordance with the terms of this resolution, for reimbursement to the Village for the expense of reconnecting said service.

Moved by A. L. Roberts and supported by N. O. Corwin that the above resolution be approved and adopted. Yea and may vote called. All present voting yea. Motion carried.

Signed,
VILLAGE COUNCIL.

STRANGE AS IT SEEMS—By John Hix



MANY VISITORS ON NAT. HOSPITAL DAY

For the past ten years May twelfth the anniversary of the birth of Florence Nightingale, has been observed as National Hospital Day.

Like most hospitals throughout the country, our local hospital held open house that the general public might get in close touch with the service and problems of this splendid institution.

A goodly number of people visited the hospital in the afternoon where they were received by the Sisters of Mercy and taken to every nook and corner of the building which has just been completely redecorated from the chapel to the dormitories and then to the basement. A fine tile floor has been laid in the operating and sterilization rooms. The last room to be completely refurnished is the Hanson room which Mrs. R. Hanson has made very beautiful and complete with latest and most modern equipment.

The members of the Hospital Aid and their guests held their meeting in the nurses' dining room. Sister Mary Stella gave a report of the improvements and donations to hospital for the past year. Miss Elsie Burke also read a very interesting report of the State Nurses' Convention which was held in Grand Rapids. The Sisters and nurses served a very fine lunch after the business meeting.

In the evening the Grayling band led by Mr. Ed. Clark gave a very enjoyable musical program on the porch of the hospital which ended a very delightful day.

The Hanson Room

This room with its creme walls and white drop ceiling was recently redecorated by Waldemar Jensen and his painters and harmonizes beautifully with the new walnut furniture that Mrs. R. Hanson has selected for the room. The bed is the latest type of hospital bed recently designed by Henry Ford, with feeding table and bed lamp; a commode, dresser, wardrobe, magazine rack, writing desk, three chairs, footstool, window seat, screen and bridge lamp complete the furnishings, that have been tastefully arranged, making it one of the most comfortable and nicely furnished rooms in the building. The bed is spread with a green mohair bedspread with stripes at both sides of yellow, coral and lavender; and drapes of the same material are used at the windows together with very fine creme marquisette curtains. Green wool fiber rugs cover the floor. The electric fixtures are new and represent a flower with large green leaves that form the globe part of the light. One must see this room to appreciate its beauty and many had the opportunity on Hospital Day and admired it very much.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank the kind friends and neighbors, the Woman's Home Missionary society for their kindness, Fr. Culligan for his comforting words and those who sent the beautiful floral offerings in our late bereavement, the loss of our dear husband and father.

Mrs. Hazel Kochanowski, and children,
Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Waldron,
Mr. and Mrs. Lee Richardson,
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Waldron.

Canning
Discourage running in a child; canning is the ape of wisdom.—Locke.

PAUL F. H. MORLEY DIES AT MORLEY LODGE

Paul F. H. Morley of Saginaw, died at his summer home, Morley Lodge on the North Branch of the AuSable river at about 7:00 o'clock Sunday evening. Neuraigia of the heart is given as the cause of death.

For several years Mr. Morley had been a sufferer from heart trouble and only that afternoon had an attack. He recovered sufficiently so that he told his brother Ralph that he was all right again and that he need not remain with him longer and he (Ralph) left for Saginaw. Another attack several hours later took from our midst this esteemed citizen who had been coming to our city since a young man.

He was only 46 years of age and was a member of the firm of Morley Bros., wholesale hardware, Saginaw. His remains were taken that night to his late home in Saginaw.

STATE ADOPTS FAST TIME

Eastern Standard Time now is the legal time in Michigan by virtue of an act passed by the Legislature and signed by Gov. Brucker.

Until this year, the State did not meddle with the time problem. The Federal Government had put Michigan in the Central Standard Time zone, and there the Legislature was content to let it remain. Detroit, Flint, Pontiac, and numerous other municipalities went to Eastern Standard Time some years ago. It is the time observed by a large majority of the people of Michigan.

But to the Federal Government Michigan still is a Central Time state and the schedules of railroad companies, which are under the jurisdiction of the Interstate Commerce Commission, bear witness to this fact.

What will be the effect of the law making Eastern Standard Time the legal time in Michigan?

"The chief effect is in matters of law," explained Emerson R. Boyles, deputy attorney-general. "If legal notice is given that a hearing, or a trial, or a public auction or anything else will be held at 9 a. m., that means 9 a. m. Eastern Standard Time and not 9 a. m. Central Standard Time, as it did heretofore."

On the general public, Mr. Boyles said, the law perhaps will have no great effect.

"If any community, by resolution of its governing body, elects to use Central Standard Time, I know of nothing that can be done about it," he said. "Cities and villages have

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AMAZING ANIMAL SCENES IN FILM

JUNGLE BEASTS CAUGHT BY CAMERA IN HAIR RAISING EPISODES

Are you one of those who believe that the ostrich hides its head with the idea that he's hiding from an enemy? Or that the lion is really the king of beasts?

They're both myths, like a good many stories of the jungles. The ostrich doesn't do anything so stupid—and as for the lion—well, a good-sized zebra can kick the daylight out of him and put him to flight easily.

These are just a couple of odd facts that audiences see with their own eyes and hear with their own ears in "Trader Horn," Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's sensational drama of Africa, which will be presented Thursday and Friday, May 14 and 15 at the Rialto Theatre, Grayling.

Hundreds of Trucks.

It was filed by the biggest picture expedition that ever went into Africa, and that took with it the first and only sound recording apparatus ever to invade the dark continent. There were many thrills in that 25,000 mile trip, in which a small army of trucks and autos invaded spots never photographed before.

The cameramen crept up on lions, leopards, rhinoceros, crocodiles, and other denizens of the jungles, and actually placed microphones to catch their voices. It was often a dangerous task. Once a rhino charged, and was dropped only a few feet from the camera. Another time a technician was setting a microphone in a tree at night, when a leopard investigated and the technician was saved only by the prompt shooting of W. S. Van Dyke, the director.

The safari traveled through densest jungles, native laborers cutting roads ahead of them for the autos, sound track, camera truck and other apparatus. Camps were pitched in the very midst of the wilderness. Hundreds of hardships were undergone, despite every precaution.

Carey in Title Role.

Harry Carey plays Trader Horn. Nina is played by Edwina Booth and Peru by Duncan Renaldo in the mighty transcription of Aloysius Horn's famous book. The trek took the safari into the Uganda, into Tanganyika, the Belgian Congo, the headwaters of the Nile, and the deadly "sleeping sickness" country about Lake Albert.

Native ceremonies, dances, the wild "juju" or magic hysteria, and other details of jungle life were filmed from authentic occurrences, as were the animal thrills. Hundreds of crocodiles, hippo, rhino, and, in fact, every beast found in Africa, even to the great wild elephants, contribute thrills and gasps to the picture, which was more than two years in the making.

W. S. Van Dyke, who directed the production, is famous for such travel romances as "White Shadows in the South Seas" and "The Pagan."

JUDGES FOR THE QUEEN CONTEST

EASTERN MICHIGAN WATER CARNIVAL, MAY 9, 1931

Announcement of the judges of the queens contest to be held at the Eastern Michigan Water Carnival, July 30, was made from the executive office of the carnival today. Three outstanding Michigan women and two nationally famous artists comprise the list: Dr. Margaret Bell, director of physical education for women at the University of Michigan; Miss Ruth Baugher, associate professor of physical education at State Teachers College, Ypsilanti; Margaret Woodbridge Presley, former Olympic swimmer, now swimming official of the Women's City Club, Detroit; Edgar E. Martin, artist, creator of "Boots and Her Buddies"; and Max Kalish, sculptor with studios in Cleveland and Paris.

The winning girl in the contest will be "Miss Eastern Michigan" as well as Queen of the Carnival, and will be crowned by Governor Brucker on the first evening of the fête. A beautiful girl of the athletic type will be sought for this honor.

been adopting Eastern time by resolution of the council. They now can reverse the order and adopt Central Standard Time."

On the railroads' schedules, the law will have no effect whatever, Mr. Boyles said. In such matter the railroads are governed entirely by the Interstate Commerce Commission, which of course regards Michigan as a Central Time state.

The Senate has adopted a resolution asking the attorney-general to ask the Interstate Commerce Commission to put Michigan in the Eastern Time zone. Should the commission decide to do so, the use of Eastern Time probably would become general in the state.

No Penalty for Delinquent Tax Payers

NOTICE TO DELINQUENT TAXPAYERS OF CRAWFORD COUNTY

House enrolled Act No. 75 has been passed by the Legislature, signed by the Governor, May 7th, given immediate effect, and consequently is now the law. It provides as follows: "Section 1. Any 1929 and 1930 State, County, Township, and school district taxes, general and special, which are unpaid at the time this act goes into effect, may be paid between the effective date hereof and July 1, 1931, without penalties, fees and interest charges. All persons collecting said taxes are hereby empowered to receive said taxes paid during said period without penalties, fees and interest charges and to give receipt

in full therefor, and all penalties, fees and interest charges on said taxes so paid are hereby waived and cancelled."

Yours truly,
William Ferguson,
Co. Treas.

At a special meeting of the Village Council the following resolution was approved and adopted and ordered printed in our local newspaper: Notice To Delinquent Taxpayers, Village of Grayling.

Any 1929 and 1930 Village Taxes, General and Special, which are unpaid at this time, may be paid between now and June 30th, 1931, without penalties, fees and interest charges, as is provided in the Miller-McBride bill.

E. L. Sparkes,
Village Clerk.

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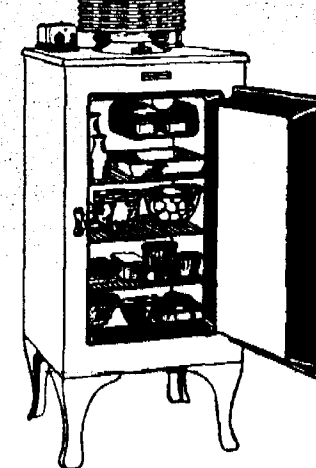
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THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1931

THE PRESIDENT AND THE BOY

One of the hardest things for those who know President Hoover to understand is how it happens that those who do not know him can complain that he is not "human," meaning thereby that he dwells habitually in a sort of upper realm of self-containment and isolation, that he is not touched by the things which stir ordinary men nor his heart warmed by sympathy and understanding of his fellows. His whole public career should discredit such an estimate of him. Why did he give up his business with a promise of an immense fortune and for years give his whole time at his own expense to relief work in Belgium and Poland and Russia and all over Europe, during the war and after the war? It was because human need made an entirely irresistible appeal to him. Especially the need of little children. He said in the early days of the war to another American who was going into that country to assist in the distribution of food and clothing, "You will see things in Belgium that will make you feel as if you never wanted to smile again." He was thinking of the long lines of women and little children shivering their way up to the place where doles of food were being distributed to them. It was always the thought of the suffering children that drove him on and on in his work of relief during and after the war.

And so to those who know him the President's impulsive act in inviting Bryan Untied to be his guest at the White House for three or four days, was perfectly natural. Here was a boy who, under the stress of sudden emergency, without special preparation or previous warning, had done instinctively the fine, brave, heroic thing. Left with a crowd of whimpering children in a stranded omnibus, exposed to the fury of a Colorado blizzard, he stripped himself of overcoat and coat to keep the young children warm and hour after hour drove them through play and sometimes through fistfights to "keep going." Through the day and all through the long night, and then through nearly another day this boy of thirteen played the part of a man, a full grown man.

Of course it appealed to President Hoover. He could not give him a Congressional medal or a distinguished service order or any kind of an established decoration. And so he did what was a much better thing, he invited Bryan Untied to be his guest at the White House and so directed the attention of the whole country to the fact that here was a boy deserving of very special honor. And he did it handsomely, as he does everything. The visit to Washington did not cost the boy or his parents anything not even anxiety, for an experienced traveler was with him from his home and back again to his home. While he was in Washington he was taken to see everything that a boy naturally would want to see. And then when he started home the President's young son Alan handed him as a parting gift a brand new gun, the richest treasure a boy out on the high prairies can possibly have.

It was all very fine, all very natural, and demonstrates again and in a beautiful way the essential democracy of this great land of ours.

THE TOWNSHIP ROAD BILL
PASSED

The Holbeck-McNitt bill, better known as the Township Road Bill, passed the Senate Thursday and without question will be signed by the Governor and become law.

This bill provides for the taking over of all Township roads in a period of five years, twenty per cent each year, and also provides the funds out of the Gas tax to do the job with.

This Bill was sponsored and introduced by the authors as a tax relief measure, not as a road building program. At the end of five years there will be no further need of raising money in the townships for road maintenance, because there will be no more Township roads, and the Counties will be receiving from the State out of the Gas Tax Fund sufficient money to maintain and improve these roads.

The amount so received will be over and above what is now received by the Counties out of the Weight Tax.

The County will receive two hundred dollars a mile for all roads taken over the first year, and this amount will be increased each year as more roads are taken over, until at the end of five years when all the Township roads are taken over. The amount appropriated annually will be \$4,000,000.

When a motor vehicle goes over a bump there are two impacts on the road surface—shock impact that throws it up, and drop impact when it lands after the bounce.

GRAYLING WINS FROM STANDISH AND FREDERIC

There was the legendary baker who killed the flies seven at a blow. But he didn't have so much to brag about, even if flies in a bakeshop be a source of pride. The Grayling Orioles, independent baseball team representing the Capital City of Winter Sports counted a pair of victories after four hours and a half spent on the diamond last Sunday. Frederic absorbed a 13-1 drubbing, and Standish fell also by a 5-4 score in the last half of the double bill.

Frederic, playing a return game after a 16-6 defeat on their own cow pasture, didn't have much luck in their local appearance. One run may win some ball games, but not when the opposition is taking liberties with the offerings of the pitching department. Grayling picked the old apple for baseballs and romped around the paths quite merrily. The result wasn't long in doubt.

Standish, second opponent of the season, proved to be sterner opposition and the Orioles nosed out a one run margin for a win. That might have been decisive, if the game had been played first. But one run lead is as good as more when the last out is marked into the score book.

Grayling presented a very respectable ball club to their opponents, and both offense and defense made creditable showings. DeVeré Schmidt tossed 'em up to the batters for both games and fourteen batters retired to the bench thinking up alibis for strikeouts. Fourteen hard luck tales should make Paul Bunyan roll over in his grave, probably causing an earthquake or two, or another revolution in Mexico. Rudy Harrison did the backstopping, and Howie Schmidt camped on the initial sack, with Russell Robertson at second, Jim Post at short and Gordon Pond and Ted Gallahan on the "hot corner." Francis Brady, Matt Bidva and Art May patrolled the gardens.

FORMER GRAYLING MAN DIES
OF INJURIES IN DETROIT
HOSPITAL

Joseph Kochanowski, a former resident of Grayling, passed away at Ford hospital in Detroit last Sunday, following injuries received to one of his legs at one of the Ford plants where he was employed, about three weeks previous.

At the hospital all everything possible for him, but were forced to give him up Sunday and he passed away that afternoon. Mr. Kochanowski was the husband of the former Hazel Waldron, a Grayling girl, and the father of eight children, who are left to mourn a kind and loving father.

Mr. Kochanowski was born in Phila Pova, Slovakia, Poland, March 19, 1887, and came to this country at the age of 19 years. He was united in marriage to Hazel Waldron October 6, 1914 and nine children were born, one son Irving passing away in infancy. The family resided here until nine years ago when they moved to Detroit and Mr. Kochanowski entered the employ of the Ford Motor Co.

The remains were brought to Grayling, accompanied by the family and the funeral held Saturday morning with services at St. Mary's church, Fr. J. L. Culligan celebrating the mass at 9:00 o'clock. Interment was in Elmwood cemetery. Those from out of town who came to be in attendance at the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cripps, Edward Waldron and son Robert, Mrs. Lee Richardson and son Rex and Frank Whipple, Lansing; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Grosso and son Richard and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Farlinger, Detroit.

The family have the sympathy of many friends in their sorrow.

PLEASANT BIRTHDAY PARTY

Lura Ensign Quigley and Jean Thorne gave a very lovely party at Luras' on Thursday evening of last week, entertaining about twenty-four young people who were also introduced to Jean's guest, Wilfred Dodge of Alpena, who remained in the city from then until Tuesday.

The evening was spent in dancing and playing a few very enjoyable games. Bill LaGrow and Karl Sherman were prize winners.

There were decorations of pale pink and green paper and when luncheon time came, on one of the small tables set around the room, was a cake with pink candles on it. It was Jean's birthday. The lunch was delicious and when the party broke up about 12:30 everyone agreed it was quite the nicest of its kind in a long while.

The following were at the party: Helen Pond, Betty Welsh, Dorothy Roberts, Wilma Burrows, Evelyn Johnson, Loretta Sorenson, Annabelle Harris, Jane Keyport, Fern Chalker, and Margaret Warren. Wilfred Dodge, Howard Schmidt, Elmer Neal, Karl Sherman, James Miller, Brad Jarmin, Thorwald Sorenson, Wesley LaGrow, Bill LaGrow, Laurence Kessler, DeVeré Dawson.

UNCLE SAM SAYS:

Meal worms are reared to serve as "meals" for birds, reptiles, and fishes, but they do well enough without meals themselves, and sometimes go nine months without food.

At the Chemical Exposition in New York, Federal chemists demonstrated a new and economical fertilizer, superphosphate sprayed with ammonia.

Father Sage Says:

People with terrible tempers should use revolving doors. They can't be damned in other people's faces.



A. E. Martin

FREE—A GENTLEMAN'S DRESS
SHOE

No, the donor of this free shoe is not trying to run opposition to the Grayling shoe dealers—but while on his way back to town after playing a strenuous game of golf, Harold Jarmin had the misfortune to lose one of a pair of practically new dress shoes, and after advertising his loss for a couple of weeks without results, has decided to present, absolutely free of charge, the shoe in his possession to the person who calls with its mate. The Space Filler's private opinion, however, is that the lost shoe was picked up by a one-legged gentleman, the covering of whose pedal extremity was in the last stage of dilapidation, and who looked on his find as "a gift from the gods," and under the circumstances would have no use for the other shoe. The writer presumes though, that if there is another gentleman in this vicinity who is one-legged on the opposite side, and is in need of a single foot covering, he will be welcome to the shoe left in the owner's possession—and thus will one pair of shoes accommodate two individuals while before it was monopolized by one.

ODD IDEA OF GRACE

If any club in the country is in need of an ornament to "grace their lounge" they might apply to the Michigan parole board or to the warden of Jackson prison, for Editor DeFoe says in a recent issue of the Charlotte Republican, referring to Irving Latimer who is serving a life term for the murder of his mother, and who also poisoned one of the prison guards in an attempt to escape, "Latimer, whose personality would grace the lounge of any club in the country."

IN THE NEXT 100 YEARS

The Detroit Free Press centennial edition while recording the progress of civilization through the yesterdays of the past century, also attempted a peek into the future and a speculation as to what will be in the next hundred years to come. What the writer seemed rather like an ANTI-CLIMAX was the statement that WINDMILLS all over the world would be used to generate electricity. Ye gods, WINDMILLS! when we have seen windmills used to symbolize the very reverse of progress—have been told that Holland (the land of windmills) was dismantling these ancient mechanical appliances and installing gasoline engines and electric motors, and witness what has happened to the windmills on the farms, where once a good windmill was considered as sign of a progressive farmer. Well, wouldn't it be funny after all if to PROGRESS we had to go back to some of the good ideas of past times. What power could be more economical for the farmer if he would use it to generate his own electricity when the wind blows and store it for use when there is no wind. Wind is free—there is no sliding scale per kilowatt hour for its use.

OH, ME! OH, MY!

Another forecast by one of the leading biochemists (which is said to be most astounding, and maybe it is) is that human life will be evolved by scientists and biochemists, and that babies will be born in the laboratory. Well, maybe that is something to stir the blood of the scientists—but ten to one the babies will come in the good old way till the end of time.

RE-LIVING WASHINGTON'S LIFE
IN PAGEANTRY

The United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission began its work of planning the celebration of Washington's Two Hundredth Birthday Anniversary in 1932 with the aim of carrying this celebration to the people, rather than staging some one extensive central commemoration. In line with this aim, the Commission early arranged the writing and publication, as well as the selection of plays, and pageants for groups and communities all over the United States.

Nothing helps more to an understanding of the facts of history and the lives of great men than to see striking incidents in their careers re-enacted. Participation in these events intensifies interest and enthusiasm, and makes more real and sincere the honor that is being accorded.

In arranging these plays, pageants and pageants, the Bicentennial Commission has aimed to make them accurate yet simple, so that any and all members of a community may have a part, and thus actually participate in the celebration.

As study and care are needed to insure accuracy and completeness in these dramatizations of Washington's life and times, much thought has yet to be put upon them, but already the experts engaged by the Bicentennial Commission have received a great number of requests for these plays and pageants. It is gratifying evidence of the nation-wide interest already awakened in this commemoration of George Washington.

To keep this interest alive and growing, it is the desire of Percy J. Burrell, the authority on pageants engaged by the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission to direct its Department of Pageantry, that all persons or groups in the United States, wherever they

are, should notify this department of their plans, so that helpful material may be sent them as soon as it is ready. Members of various communities are writing original plays and pageants. This splendid initiative the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission wishes to encourage to the utmost. The names and address of these people are wanted at once.

The one caution urged is that this material be not expected before next Autumn, as time is required in its preparation and organization. Every care, for example, is being exercised in order that designs for costumes and settings shall be accurate to the last detail. The same attention is being paid to the dramatic material itself. All summer the artists and others in the Pageant Department will be engaged in this work, so that all that pertains to presenting Washington's career in pageant form may be complete and available in plenty of time for rehearsal and release during the Bicentennial Year.

By autumn of 1931 all instructions regarding the various uniforms of the Revolutionary Army, and the costumes worn by the women of the time, will be ready in accurately colored plates, together with patterns for the making of this apparel. Nothing will be overlooked, in assisting toward the presentation of these enactments of incidents and events of these former colorful days. Even when this pageant material has been distributed and placed in rehearsal, the experts of the United States George Washington Bicentennial Commission will be ready at all times to offer suggestions and advice.

Finally, helpful material pertaining to the proper staging of these revivals of historic people and scenes will be available in such quantity that no school, church, society, club, community group, or other gathering desiring to enter into this reverent and yet entertaining activity need be without the means of carrying out their desires.

DID YOU KNOW

That the Navy may properly be called the Mother of lighter-than-air craft in this country? Post-war developments included the building of the Shenandoah and the acquisition of the Los Angeles from Germany. The present lighter-than-air activities include the building of the world's largest dirigible, the Akron, for the Navy. This type of aircraft is admirably suited for that most important feature of Naval warfare—coastal defense over the sea.

That in the war of 1812-1815, the U. S. Navy captured or destroyed every ship put on the Great Lakes by Great Britain?

That the U. S. Navy holds the record for capture of seventeen British Ensigns in one day, at the battle of Lake Champlain? This beats the capture of sixteen by the French at the battle of LaHogue.

That the above information was furnished by the U. S. Navy Recruiting Station, 645 Randolph Street, 710 Lawyers Building, Detroit, Mich?

For Sunny Days



Here is one of the modish new ensembles for the sunny days of spring and summer. It is of whipped twill, set off with a gray-colored scarf of plaid design. The youthful-looking jacket is ornamented with only a pair of gleaming ocean pearl buckles.

Meet the Colonel



The governor's signature has been obtained, the state seal has been affixed, and Paul Lambert Priest, four months old, has been commissioned a lieutenant colonel on the staff of Gov. C. Ben Ross of Idaho. The appointment was made by the governor as a gracious gesture toward Joel L. Priest of Boise, Idaho, grandfather of the young "officer." His father is A. J. Priest of Bronxville, N. Y.

HAS BEST HEALTH
IN TWENTY YEARS

"For twenty years before taking Sargon I was in miserable health. My whole system was full of toxic poisons from constipation. I'd get up every morning feeling worse than I did before going to bed and I couldn't walk any distance without giving completely out. I had awful headaches and pains between my shoulders but since taking this marvelous Sargon every trouble I had disappeared. I don't know when I've felt so well and strong. The Sargon Pills overcame constipation and cleared my system of poisons. I will always praise this wonderful treatment."—Mrs. Tillie Haddox, 2419 Poplar St., Detroit.

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NEWS REVIEW



Chiang Kai-shek

Shanghai, Tientsin, Mukden and Canton. The mandate to this effect was promulgated by President Chiang Kai-shek's government after negotiations with Sir Miles Lampson, British minister, for abolition of extraterritoriality had broken down. Foreign consuls in China feared that communists would find in the action excuse for attacks on foreigners in the interior, and the number of protecting warships at various ports was increased.

President Chiang Kai-shek is having his troubles with rebels in Canton and with some members of his own Nationalist party. The former are led by Chen Chitang, and both they and the conservative Nationalists declare that Chiang must resign the presidency, asserting that he is trying to make himself a dictator. The provinces of Kwangtung and Kwangsi declared their independence.

PRESIDENT DOUMERQUE opened France's international colonial exposition at Vincennes park on Tuesday, and it is expected that the big show will attract throngs of visitors until it closes at the end of October. In addition to all French colonies, the United States, Italy, Belgium, Brazil, Denmark, Holland, and Portugal are represented. Native life of Indo-China, equatorial Africa, and Madagascar has been reproduced even to the extent of importing 3,000 natives.

The United States is represented by a copy of Washington's Mount Vernon home, and by pavilions for Hawaii, Porto Rican, Alaskan, and Philippine exhibits.

PRESIDENT CARMONA of Portugal is comparatively happy now, for the rather serious revolt in Madeira Island has been suppressed by the government forces under command of Magalhães Correia, minister of marine. The federal troops bombarded the rebels at Funchal by land, sea and air until they gave up the fight, the leaders taking refuge in the British legation. The casualties were not excessive, but the normal life of Madeira had been greatly disturbed for weeks and the government in Lisbon was really worried for a time.

MORE than once Mustafa Kemal Pasha has refused to let the Turks make him President for life, but they are doing it in effect anyway. The other day they elected him for his third term of four years, that action being taken by the national assembly in extraordinary session at Angora, and the vote was unanimous. Ismet Pasha and the cabinet resigned pro forma and the premier and other ministers were promptly reappointed.

JAPAN'S foremost actor, young Seiji Yoshihara, started his solo flight from Tokyo to Washington, D. C., under the auspices of the Tokyo newspaper Hochi Shimbun. His route for the long and perilous journey was laid out to the northern islands of Japan, thence along the Kuriles to Petropavlovsk, Kamchatka, with two intermediate landings; from there across the Bering sea and along the Aleutian Islands and the Alaskan shore, with stops to Seward, and then down to Vancouver and Seattle. At the latter city he will change his sea ponies for landing gear and proceed to San Francisco, after which he hopes to fly to the National Capital to deliver to President Hoover a message of good will from Japan. Yoshihara's plane is a light all-metal Junkers with open cockpit and no radio.

The huge German seaplane DO-X, which started for South America months ago and was laid up by a fire, is on its way again and at last accounts had reached Bolama, Portuguese Guinea.

FULL recognition has been extended by the United States to the dual kingdom of Hejaz and Nejd and its dependencies on the Arabian peninsula. After years of warfare, the entire kingdom is now ruled by Ibn Saud. It embraces an area of about 200,000 square miles with a population of less than 5,000,000.

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Lasting Print Paper
Newspaper paper that can stand being baked for 72 hours at the boiling point of water is strong enough to be suitable for permanent library archives, government scientists say.

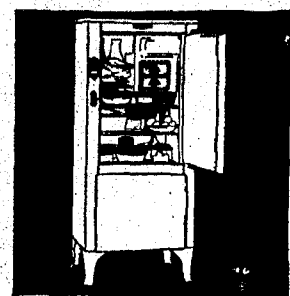
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Nature Not Generous

With Gift of Oratory

Speeches can now be broadcast to millions of people but science as yet has been unable to do a thing to improve the speeches. Eulogists, given time, think they can—by improving the species. How rare is the genius of true oratory; rarer far than that of poet, sculptor or painter, F. H. Collier comments, in the St. Louis Globe-Democrat. America has never had but one Daniel Webster. It has produced a score to enchant us in music with their voices, others to read the lines of drama with telling effect, but the orator who sweeps his audience along with himself in enthusiasm is one in ten million.

Most of the people who say something stirring, do it with the pen. Thought flows easily from the fingers but apparently not from the tongue. Many are expert and convincing in their speech making—dealing mainly in facts and cogent arguments; but that is not oratory in its highest sense; the oratory of Mark Antony, of Demosthenes, of Burke, of Henry Ward Beecher, of Robert Ingersoll, of Phillips Brooks.

In some instances, eloquence has become grandiloquence; whereas effective elocution, moving the emotions and remaining permanently as a fine structure of rhetorical value is always restrained; such as Lincoln's address at Gettysburg; and Webster's debate with Hayne.

Poor Food Set Before

Early French Monarchs

The science of cookery did not always flourish in France. It languished in a very inferior state under the early monarchs. "Gregory of Tours has preserved the account of a repast of French warriors, at the unrelieved rudeness of which we are astounded," writes Anthony Clynne in the Boston Transcript. Charlemagne lived poorly and ate but little. Philippe le Bel was hardly half an hour at the table, and Francis I thought more of amorous dalliance than of eating and drinking. Nevertheless, it was under this last king that the science of cookery took its rise in France. Few have heard the name of Gonthier d'Andernach. What Bacon was to philosophy, Dante or Petrarch to poetry, Copernicus or Galileo to astronomy, Gonthier was in France to gastronomy. Before him, their culinary craft was a collection of scraps picked up here and there; the names of dishes were as barbarous and uncouth as the dishes themselves.

Gonthier is the father of cookery, as Descartes of French philosophy. It is said that he invented, in less than ten years, nine ragouts, thirty-one sauces and twenty-one soups.

Tempting Dog's Appetite

Nursing a sick dog, especially when it is in the convalescent stage, is not an easy task, as any dog owner who has been through it knows. One owner was having great difficulty in getting his dog to eat. He mentioned the matter to another dog owner, an old timer who has been through much of it. Said he: "I got this from an old lady when I was a kid and I'm no spring chicken. You might think it's an old-fashioned notion, but I've tried it and never knew it to fail. Try the dog on a little smoked herring, just enough to get him started. It's great as an appetizer."

The owner followed the suggestion, and sure enough the dog ate the smoked herring, with relish, and then turned to a few other things. After a few days, with an occasional taste of smoked herring, the dog's appetite came back. Old-fashioned or not, the treatment was successful.—Brockton Enterprise

Robert Burns' Marriage

Burns legally married Jean Armour in 1788, about two years after he had contracted a secret and irregular marriage with her, which was acknowledged in writing. Her father was indignant at the secret marriage, compelled his daughter to give up Burns and also forced her to destroy the document which vouched the marriage. In April 1788 the poet privately acknowledged her as his wife. On August 3 of that year a legal ceremony was performed at Gavin Hamilton's house, and two days later they acknowledged their marriage in the Manse church.



Want Ads

FOR SALE CHEAP—2 room size rugs, Victrola and 150 records. Phones 56-J or 151-R. 5-14-2

STRAYED TO MY PLACE—Cream colored dog, Crawford county license. Owner may come by paying for ad and expenses. Stanley Kobyczak, Route 2, Gaylord. 5-14-1

RELIABLE MAN WANTED to call on farmers in Crawford and Osceola Counties. Wonderful opportunity. Make \$8 to \$20 daily. No experience or capital needed. Write today, McNESS CO., Dept. B, Freeport, Illinois. 5-14-2

BABY CHICKS—Farsighted folks will buy chicks this spring. Now looking Rocks and Leghorns for May 25th and each week following. June chicks will be your next year's layers, act now before it is too late. Sterling Poultry Farm, Sterling, Mich. 5-14-1f

WANTED—Work at fishing club, or practical nursing. Confinement cases preferred. Mrs. Jennie Richardson, R. F. D., Roscommon. 5-7-2

LOST—A silver coin purse, containing sum of money between O. Sorenson & Sons store and the Sorenson Furniture store Monday. Please leave at Avalanche office. Reward. 5-7-1

SALESMAN WANTED—Local man only to work Grayling and surrounding counties, calling on business concerns. Nationally advertised line. Must be a hustler. Permanent connection if you make good. Merchants Industries, Inc., Third and Wayne, Dayton, Ohio. 5-7-2

8-ROOM HOUSE, with cement block foundation, cemented in cellar; electric lights, good well, waterworks in yard, garage. Nicely located and big bargain. O. P. Schumann, phone 111, Avalanche Bldg. 5-1f

HOUSE FOR RENT—Good location and pleasant place. Call phone 111. O. P. Schumann, Avalanche Bldg.

WANTED—Position as cook by day, week or season. Restaurant, camp, or a-la-carte style. W. F. Harwood, Phone 1191, Grayling, Mich. 4-23-4

HOUSEWORK WANTED—Mrs. Wm. Ellis, address Grayling, or leave word at South Side parsonage.

WORK WANTED—As housekeeper, or helper in restaurant or at a resort. Mrs. Worden, Park street.

BRICK, PLASTERING AND CEMENT work wanted. Axel Swanson, Grayling. 10-16-1f

Restoration
By **THOMAS ARNOLD CLARK**
Dean of Mass. University of Health.

Accuracy is the mother of invention. The old proverb says, and I suspect there is truth in the statement. I have myself invented a device which no one before me seems to have thought of because perhaps no one has before been quite in the same physical situation that I am in. I was in a hole out of which I needed to extract myself and hence the device. But often I am not so successful; the need arises but the way to meet it does not readily occur to my mind.

I ran onto the statement not long ago: "Some people would grow poor on a mountain of gold, while others would make a good living on a rock."

Evans was really a very bright boy. Whatever was assigned to him to do he did well—far better than the average in fact—but he did not know how to get a job. He had been in college two years when his father came to see me.

"I don't know what's the matter with George," he said. "He's a good worker and he is willing to work, but so far he has not gotten hold of anything. He doesn't seem to know how to sell himself."

And yet George was familiar with the town and with the conditions of living. He knew where there were jobs and yet he did not seem to have an idea of how to get one. I got him into a place and the man for whom he is working says he never has had a more faithful or a more efficient man.

Now it was quite different with Quin. Quin was a thousand miles from home. He had never before been within the limits of a college town. He was an Irishman, as his name suggests, fluent speech, quick to see an opening, and ready to meet an emergency. He hadn't been in town a half hour before he had a job, and he had it even before he presented the letter of introduction to me from Fowler asking me to help the boy.

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Interesting Events in
Grayling 23 Years Ago
INTERESTING ITEMS OF NEWS GATHERED FROM THE FILES OF THE AVANCEE OF 23 YEARS AGO.

Thursday, May 14, 1908

Born— To Mr. and Mrs. W. St. John, two sons. Both children died soon after birth.

The house-dies were in evidence Sunday for the first time, and are considered a sure harbinger of summer.

O. Palmer and R. W. Brink went to Grand Rapids Monday as delegates to the Republican State Convention.

Last Sunday was an ideal summer day, the mercury registering 80 degrees in the shade at 2 p. m.

The baseball game Saturday between Varsity and West Branch resulted in a victory for our team by a score of 16 to 11.

David SanCartier had the misfortune to fall from a tramway at the flooring mill receiving painful injuries which will lay him up for some time.

The work of raising the Manistee house is nearly complete, and the cement wall and basement will be a great improvement.

The Salling Hanson Co. are moving their hardware stock into Buck's store, three doors east preparatory to improving the old store.

Work on the Grayling Merchandise Company's store is being pushed, and is so advanced that one can imagine the proposed improvements.

Augustus Funck was thrown from his wagon, near Perry Ostrander's last week, by his runaway team. He escaped injury, but the harness and wagon was badly in need of repair.

Everybody enjoys going to Frank Barber's in Beaver Creek, so there is no wonder that the Gleaners are \$15 richer by holding their ice cream social there last week.

Miss Mollie Johnson has taken the session of the stenographer and typewriter's chair in the county clerk's office in Roscommon. She will be missed from our society here.

The dwelling which has been for several years opposite the Presbyterian church has moved three blocks north, and the excavation for the new hall which is to take its place is completed.

Mrs. Hadley, who has been on the severe invalid list for several months is improving with the weather, and enjoying an outing in her wheel chair during the pleasant hours, to the pleasure of her friends.

Thomas Woodfield of Jackson was in town one day last week, but not long enough to shake hands with half his friends. He ought to take a day off and come and go fishing.

Mrs. R. Hanson, Miss Hanson, Mrs. Bauman and her little daughter went to Detroit, Monday.

Robert Baker and family have moved to a farm near Johannesburg where they intend to make their home.

Married—At Frederic, May 4th, Miss Delia Delaire and Adolph P. Feldhauser, both of Maple Forest, Rev. Reiss, officiating.

The class in literature of our high school have been giving local writing of descriptive character, choosing their own subject. Our genial Postmaster was the selection of one of our young ladies last week and after such encomiums as might make any man proud, as to his morality, temperance, and social virtues, his physical description of height, weight, blue eyes with kindly expression, his expansive intellectual forehead, that reached far beyond the sight, when he wore his hat, etc.

The Walsh manufacturing heading plant at Frederic is hardly appreciated by our people. It means to that village as the Salling Hanson plant and others here. Without them both places would be on the down grade. The plant employs about forty men and has an annual cut of about 4,000,000 feet of birch, maple and beech chiefly. The usual product is keg headings of which about four millions a year make up the product of the mill. Just at the present time the mill is working on barrel heads. The payroll at the plant is about \$2,000 a month.

Frank Love of Beaver Creek was in town last Friday and exhibited a lot of jaw—to the Dentist. He had been suffering long enough, and so cleaned the trouble up by removing the last—20. He says "Store teeth won't ache, if they don't eat as well."

Some idea of the recent spread of the temperance wave may be gleaned from the fact that seven states, 9,967 towns, 1,287 counties and 143 cities in the United States have adopted local option or prohibitory laws. Eleven cities with population of over 50,000 and 19 cities between 30,000 and 50,000 are dry. In Michigan eleven counties with 175 townships are dry, also two cities of over 5,000 population—Cadillac and Pontiac.

Cadillac Dry?

It is reported that things are pretty dry in Missaukee county but from all accounts it is far dryer in Cadillac. In that village, it is now so dry that wagons are going around with their tongues hanging out and ice has to be soaked in water all night before it is wet enough to make lemonade. Perry Powers says this is true. He says the fish in Clam lake kick up such a dust that it has to be sprinkled before a person can go fishing. A spark from an Ann Arbor engine set a big pond on fire and burned up a wagon load of bullfrogs before the Cadillac fire department could get to it and extinguish it. Even the ground is so dry that crawfish holes are being dug up and sold for pipe, while old wells are extracted by stump pullers and cut into smaller sizes and disposed of for post holes.

Lovell's Locals
(23 Years Ago)

C. F. Dickinson arrived Wednesday morning. Charlie came through the winter in good health, and is glad to get back into the best county in the state.

E. S. Houghton was doing business at Lansing, last week.

Mrs. James McNeven and daughter of Grayling, were visiting at Grandma Millers, last week.

C. F. Dickinson has had a large amount of fence put up this spring. He expects to plant 250 acres of corn besides potatoes, millet, speltz, and about 5 acres of garden.

Supervisor Frank Hardgrove was in town Monday.

Gustave Ernest was in town Monday. He reports business lively on his farm, pulling stumps and plowing.

Chas. W. Miller has been setting out ornamental trees in their yard. Charlie says he wants a fire warden furnished to protect and insure the growth of these trees, for this is a private forest, the state must furnish a warden.

Mr. and Mrs. Underhill have not returned from Detroit, as was expected. Mrs. Underhill has been quite sick, and is not able to return at present.

There are millions of trout in the North Branch, so we are informed, yet they are quite poor this season, as they can't get any bait. What few have been caught were taken through false pretense, the artificial fly.

Read the Avalanche and get all the home news. It may not save your life but it will save you money

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THE FATTY CALF

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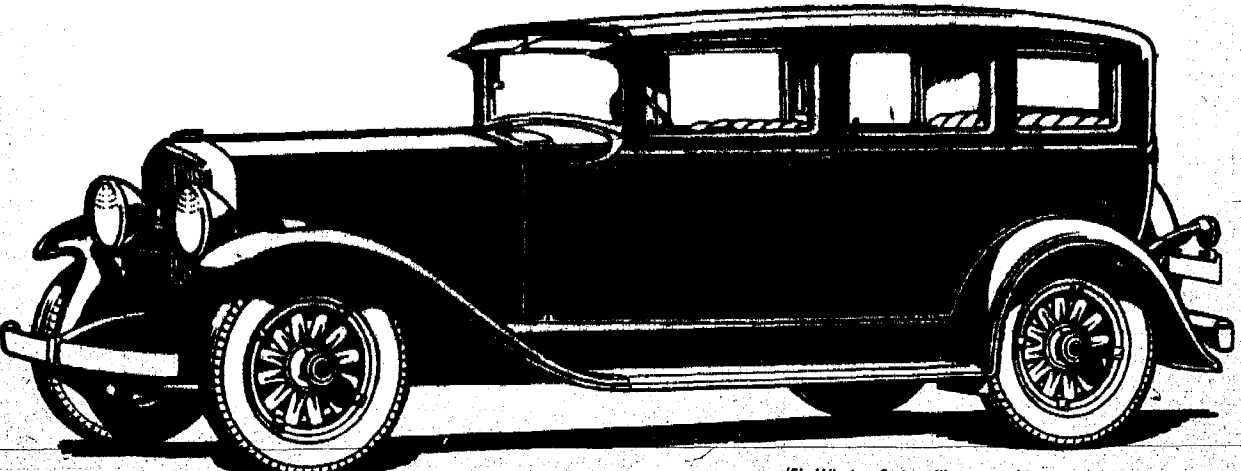
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RECORD OF VILLAGE COUNCIL PROCEEDINGS

Meeting held on the 4th day of May A. D. 1931, Grayling, Mich.

Meeting called to order by President C. O. McCullough.

Trustees present: Thomas Cassidy, A. L. Roberts, N. O. Corwin, and Peter F. Jorgenson. Absent: A. J. Joseph and Emil Giegling.

Minutes of last two meetings read and approved.

Report of the Finance Committee: To the President and members of the common council of the Village of Grayling:

Your committee on Finance, Claims and Accounts, respectfully recommend that the accompanying bills be allowed as follows:

1 Michigan Public Service Co., pumphouse power	\$159.91
2 Michigan Public Service Co., pumphouse lights	2.43
3 Michigan Public Service Co., fire siren	3.00
4 Michigan Public Service Co., hose house	1.00
5 Michigan Public Service Co., street lights	163.00
6 Michigan Public Service Co., Blvd. lights	119.00
7 Tri-County Telephone Co., Inv. 8-1	10.00
8 Burkes Garage, Inv. 5-1	33.45
9 Parsons & Wakeley, Inv. 5-1	14.02
10 M. Hanson, Agt. Inv. 4-30	297.56
11 W. S. Darley & Co., Inv. 4-20	\$27.80
12 W. S. Darley & Co., Inv. 4-22	.98
13 W. D. Allen Manufacturing Co., Inv. 4-21	3.67
14 American Oil Magazine, Inv. 4-17	2.00
15 Standard Oil Co., Inv. 4-10	36.75
16 A. J. Nelson, fire report 4-15	12.80
17 M. C. R. B. Co., Inv. 4-21	4.40
18 Railway Express Agency, Inv. 4-30	1.55
19 Len Isenhauer, payroll ending 4-10	22.40
20 Len Isenhauer, payroll ending 4-17	42.00
21 Len Isenhauer, payroll ending 4-24	38.50
22 Len Isenhauer, payroll ending 5-1	59.50
23 Grayling Hardware, Inv. 5-1	5.85

Waterworks Fund ----- % of 1%

Moved by Thomas Cassidy and supported by N. O. Corwin that the recommendation be accepted, approved and adopted. Yeas: Cassidy, Roberts, Corwin and Jorgenson. Motion carried.

The President appointed Thomas Cassidy and Peter F. Jorgenson to serve on the Board of Review.

Moved and supported that we adjourn. Motion carried.

Lorane Sparkes, Clerk.
C. O. McCullough, President.

Par and Mar

"My wife says if I don't chuck golf she'll leave me."
"Hard luck, old chap."
"Yes—I'll miss her."

How One Woman Lost 102 Lbs. of Fat

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The Modern Safe Way—Right Way to Lose Fat

Dear Friends:

You advertise Kruschen Salts for reducing, so I finally tried them and when I started I weighed 219 pounds and when I took them for a year and 3 weeks, I lost exactly 102 pounds. I am 23 years old and I look at least 5 years younger now than I did when I was fat. I have a picture of myself before and after so if you want to seem them let me know.

I am always telling my friends about the wonderful salts. I am always advertising them.

I took 2 bottles every month for a year and 3 weeks. It amounted to \$25 for reducing 102 pounds but it was worth it.

If I can be of any help to you let me know.

Yours truly, Miss Nellie Simpson, 1903 aWayne Street, Swissvale, Pa., Oct. 31, 1930.

Misleading.

She—"You're full of deception. I married you because you told me you were a Southern Planter."

He—"Well?"

She—"Now I find that you're a New Orleans undertaker."

—Successful Farming.

Measuring Sunshine

One of the most difficult tasks in London is carried out daily at the air ministry offices, where the amount of sunshine penetrating the city is measured. The measuring apparatus consists of a small glass ball through which the heat of the sun passes to burn a special paper placed beneath it, the mark on the paper being used to compute the amount of sunlight passing through.

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Moved by A. L. Roberts and supported by Peter F. Jorgenson that the bills be allowed as read and orders drawn on the Treasurer for same. Yeas and nays vote called. Yeas: Cassidy, Roberts, Corwin and Jorgenson. Motion carried.

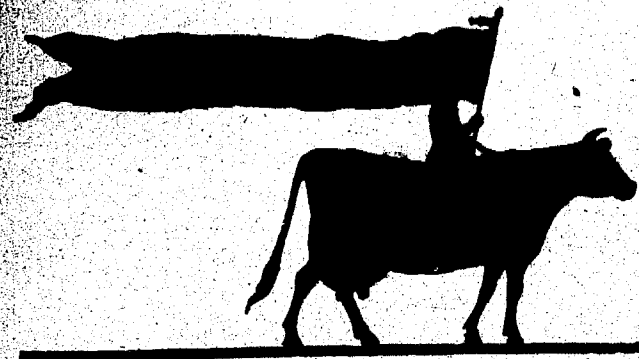
Moved by Corwin and supported by Jorgenson that considering the present financial condition of the Village and along the line of practicing economy where at all possible, that we dispense with the services of Marius L. Insley as Village Attorney, effective May 15th, 1931. Yeas and nays vote called. Yeas: Cassidy, Roberts, Corwin and Jorgenson. Motion carried.

To the President and members of the common council of the Village of Grayling:

Your committee on Finance, to whom was referred the matter of the amount necessary to be raised in the current funds for the Village, has power for the coming year, respectfully report that they have had some under consideration and find that the amount should be \$2,000.00 to be raised on the taxable property of the Village of Grayling for the year 1931-32, to be levied at the rate of \$2.00 per \$100.00 of assessed value.

An Englishman has invented a machine capable of producing 2,000,000 needles a week.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES



Poor Pastures Make Farmer Hunt Remedy

Low-priced grains are remedies suggested for use by Michigan farmers who have been compelled by short pastures to ask the dairy department at Michigan State College to suggest ways of maintaining the normal milk flow of their herds this summer.

Wheat and oats are good grains for use in summer feeding because they furnish large amounts of digestible nutrients and keep the animals in good condition. One pound of grain mixture for every six pounds of milk produced is the recommended rate of feeding.

A mixture of 500 pounds of oats and 300 pounds of wheat contains 9.3 per cent of digestible crude protein. The amount of protein in the grain ration can be raised to 11 per cent by adding 50 pounds of cottonseed meal to the wheat and oats mixture. The higher rate of protein is needed by cows running on poor pastures.

The grain mixture gives an immediate return in an increased milk flow and it helps to keep the cow at a profitable level. The grain-fed cow also is kept in better bodily condition and will enter the fall and winter seasons in shape to produce milk efficiently.

Government experiments to test the relative value of shrimp bran and fish meal as a source of protein for growing chicks show the fish meal to be superior.

If broilers or roasters in the poultry flock are getting cod-liver oil in the rations, discontinue it about two weeks before the birds are to be killed or the meat will have a fishy flavor.

A good rat dog is almost indispensable on a farm where old buildings attract rats and offer shelter for them. A small terrier dog, especially when taught to hunt by itself, will often keep a farm entirely free from rats.

Don't raise chicks on the same land year after year. Soil contamination

is one of the most common causes of failure in raising chicks. The ground on which chicks have been reared should be cultivated, sown to a crop, and not used for chicks for at least a year.

Encourage birds on the farm and the birds will discourage insect pests. Birds not only eat a great variety of insects, but they destroy quantities, says the Bureau of Biological Survey. On a 200-acre farm in North Carolina it was found that birds were destroying a million green bugs, or wheat aphids, daily. Cutworms have 98 different bird enemies: billbugs, 110; leaf hoppers, 175; and wireworms, 205.

The "cup" or cushion flat is rapidly replacing strawboard material for packing eggs for shipment. The cushion or cup protects the eggs from rough handling and decreases breakage. The pulp from which these flats are made is odorless, and the egg yolks do not absorb flavor from it as easily as from strawboard. Two of the cup flats placed back to back with the cups facing out are used in the bottom of each side of the case and one or two flats are used on top for padding.

Farmer Harvesters Swamp Timber

White willows planted on land too swampy for hay growing have proved profitable on the Vaux farm near Fairbault, Minn. Willows were planted 3 feet apart on 2 1/2 acres 20 years ago. They have furnished hundreds of fence posts, lumber for repairs, and poles for sheds, and a considerable amount of the material has been sold, according to Parker O. Anderson, Minnesota extension forester. Norway poplars planted by a son while in high school 13 years ago have grown 4 feet a year and are 14 to 15 inches through. More poplars are being planted on steep slopes and along sloughs. Walnuts also are being planted at the edges of fields. The owners of the farm harvest their natural woodlands for a regular annual income. Some of the lumber recently brought as much as \$75 a thousand board feet.

ODDS AND ENDS

Economy Plus

"Here comes the parade and your Aunt Helen will miss it. Where is she?"
"She's upstairs waving her hair."
"Mercy! Can't we even afford a flag?"
—Kennebec Journal.

It Depends

Son—"Say, Pop, what do you call a man who drives an automobile?"
Father—"It depends upon how close he comes to me."
—The Eagle.

False Expectations

"What shall I do? I'm engaged to a man who says he simply can't bear children."
—Selected.

"Well, you can't expect too much from a husband."
—Spruce Splinters.

No Advice Wanted

Telephone Operator—"I have your party. Deposit five cents please."
Souse, at pay station—"Whazzat?"
Operator—"Please deposit your money."
Souse—"Listen, girlie, what I want's a convers'n from a fren, not financial advice from a stranger."
—Wright Engine.

Wanted—A Buyer

Father—"What do you want now—haven't I just set your husband up in business?"
Married Daughter—"Yes, but John wants you to buy him out!"
—Selected.

DOINGS OF MICH. LEGISLATURE

Appropriations essential to the running of the state during the next biennium had the spotlight as the legislature convened for what many hoped would be the last week of the session. The new appropriation bill, making some changes since the first was brought out early in the session, was introduced by Rep. Gus Hartman of Houghton, chairman of the ways and means committee. It was pushed to a vote in the House last week in order to give the Senate "its inning" during the closing days.

As originally brought out the state budget called for \$35,047,219.33 for the year 1932 and \$34,515,500.21 for 1933, these figures including the amounts recommended originally for the University of Michigan and Michigan State College. These figures were cut down to \$4,500,000 and \$1,500,000, respectively, as recommended in the Callaghan bill, and other amendments were accepted before passage. The total will also be affected by the passage of some of the new proposals, if enacted.

Add Several Items

As drawn up and submitted by the House committee, the budget bill has no drastic changes. What economies are proposed are mostly made possible through the shifting of the load to some other source. As an illustration, no funds are provided for fish propagation for the Conservation Department, it being assumed that the rod license fee now before the Senate, will be enacted to provide the necessary funds.

Among the increases provided by amendments was an item of \$200,000 for a tuberculosis sanatorium for the upper part of the lower peninsula, an item insisted upon by Speaker Fred R. Ming of Cheboygan. This was inserted in the budget after it was announced that the malt tax was to be vetoed. Other increases, adopted after their proposal by Rep. Charles Reed of Clio, gave additional funds for county normal schools; rural agricultural schools; day schools for blind and deaf; schools for crippled children; primary school aid for one-room schools. Rep. Helm cast the only negative vote in the House when the bill was put to a vote closing the session of last week.

Malt Veto May Stand

In vetoing the malt tax bill, Gov. Brucker in his message to the Senate expressed the hope that some other sources of revenue, less objectionable, would be found. At the same time he stated:

"If, despite my views, the legislature still adheres to its position, an avenue for carrying its will into effect is provided by the constitution. The measure is now, therefore, strictly in your hands for decision."
Leaders in both houses were divided as to what the legislature would do, with the majority seeming to favor the idea that there were enough votes available to pass the malt tax over the veto. The dispatch with which the revived tobacco tax proposal was sent to its death indicated the unpopularity of the tax, largely because of the overwhelming vote against it at the referendum on the last such tax, in the 1928 election. The bill was brought out in the House by Rep. MacEachron of Hudsonville. The appropriation measure which it contained, to save it being subject to a popular vote, was first stricken out. Then it was decided to send it back to a committee, mostly because it was not wanted for action on the floor.

Suggests Tax Vote

After it became evident that the state property tax might not be only equal, but higher than that of any former year, a move was initiated in the Senate by Senator Fred W. Harding of Gross Pointe to abolish the property tax entirely, after June 30, 1933. His joint resolution proposes a constitutional amendment, subject to a vote of the people at the November, 1932 election, abolishing the property tax and authorizing the legislature to enact a graduated income tax to replace it.

A "friendly gesture" to relieve tax laden delinquents came into the form of the Miller-McBride bill, signed by the Governor, cancelling interest and penalties on taxes delinquent for 1929 and 1930. This was to encourage delinquents to pay between now and July 1 when the relief measure expires. The Governor issued a statement urging delinquents to take advantage of the offer.

Want Mortgage Change

Not so friendly is the attempt being made to change the mortgage foreclosure laws, either reducing or removing the time allowed for redemption. The Cheney bill, passed by the House and now before the Senate, allowed a 30-day exemption period, as compared to the six months allowed under the present law for foreclosures through chancery. The judiciary committee removed the redemption period entirely and was ready to report the bill out in this form at the insistence of real estate buyers pushing the measure. Property owners from Detroit, and representatives of community newspapers requested a hearing, which was scheduled for last Monday. Another bill affecting the foreclosures by advertising was before the House. It was introduced by Rep. Bushnell of Bronson.

It was intimated from some quarters that the House would attempt to line up enough votes for the Dykstra-McBride sales tax bill during the last week. It lacked three votes when it was defeated before. The Senate is not expected to pass it, even if it should get through the House. The income tax proposals are likewise considered dead. The Senate had been saying little about the

wine tonic tax bill, passed by the House three weeks ago. Drug stores report increased sales as a result of the publicity given the tax proposal. Extra Session Unpopular.

Hints that Gov. Brucker might call a special session of the legislature in the event the tax problem is not settled satisfactorily served to renew the effort to find new sources of revenue. The legislators seem fairly well agreed that a special session is not popular.

The bill to provide the \$1 rod license produced the longest debates when it was finally passed by the House. The tax would be charged all Michigan residents over the age of 18. There were many opinions expressed about the regulations and seasons for fishing. The season was set ahead from June 25 to June 15, by a close vote, and the law was proposed to apply only until June 30, 1933, unless re-enacted by the 1933 session.

There is still some talk about the proposal to divert a portion of the highway funds for general state purposes but it isn't "taking." The Barnard proposal in the House would have diverted \$7,000,000 a year while that introduced in the Senate by Senator Art Woodruff would take only \$3,500,000 annually.

Ask Sale for 1934

An old political sore spot was agitated during the debate on Rep. Look's bill ordering the immediate sale of the state owned cement plant at Chelsea. It was passed in the House after amendments were adopted, setting June 30, 1934 as the date for the sale. Meantime the state may operate the plant, if it can be done at a profit.

The congestion promised for the closing days of the present session would be relieved under the intentions of a bill introduced by Rep. Gus Hartman. It provides a change in the state budget system, making the budget director submit the appropriations bill by Feb. 15, and shutting off all appropriation measures after March 1, allowing the legislature to complete its work on the budget by April 1. This would make possible shorter sessions. The bill also gives the Governor and the budget director more control over expenditures by the various state institutions.

Rep. Ate Dykstra has offered a resolution which would set up a commission of four senators and six representatives to study the reapportionment question and to submit a plan for the next session of the legislature.

Fight Party Enrollment

The provision for party enrollment was vigorously opposed by the Stevens elections bill in the House, and was stricken out before the bill was passed. Rep. Rummel of Ironwood opposed the enrollment, which provided that 60-day notice must be given of change of party affiliation. Other election changes provided that state-wide recounts be conducted in each county seat instead of at the state capital, and the Feighner bill provides for a way of deciding the votes in elections.

Senator Upjohn's bill, passed by the Senate and providing that only attorneys-at-law be eligible for election as judge of probate, was defeated in the House.

Rep. Holbeck's bill allowing boards of supervisors more leeway in settling claims for loss of sheep by dogs was passed after it was voted down. An amendment was offered which won sufficient votes.

The monotony in the Senate routine was relieved late last week, first by the reading of a communication by Senator Chester M. Howell, condemning Rev. Holsapple, head of the Anti-Saloon league, for alleged incorrect statements regarding the Saginaw Senator's vote on the malt tax. The next day a reply was also entered into the records from the lay leader, admitting his mistake.

Gov. Brucker has signed the Lennon oleo bill, prohibiting the sale of colored butter substitutes. Also the Hartman bill spreading the building appropriations over a four-year period.

Changes In Roads

Several measures have been acted upon affecting highways and motorists. There was considerable agitation, pro and con, relative to the Hillman bill providing that contract carriers pay the same tax as common carriers, also that they be under the jurisdiction of the utilities commission. It may be amended and passed by the Senate and returned to the House for a conference on the changes.

The Senate has followed the House in approving the Dykstra bill providing for state aid in widening trunk line highways within cities. Payment dates for highway money paid by the state to the cities is provided for in another bill. Absorption of township roads by the counties is provided for in the McNitt bill sent to the Governor for his signature. It will allow for the spending of \$2,000,000 of the highway fund next year, and increase the amount \$500,000 each year until all the township roads have been absorbed.

Governmental units having 25 per cent of delinquency, or 10 per cent indebtedness, cannot sell their bonds to the state war loan sinking fund under a bill proposed by Senator "Mac" Highland Park.

periodicals or merchandise for charitable purposes, to get a permit from the state welfare department.

Pass Bank Tax Bill

After considerable delay the Senate has amended and advanced the MacEachron bill providing for a bank tax to replace the 1929 law declared unconstitutional.

An attempt to correct many miscarriages of justice is provided for in a bill introduced by Rep. Barnard and now approved by both houses. It amends the criminal code relating to insanity defenses in criminal trials. Where the insanity plea is raised, the bill provides the court shall conduct a hearing and if the accused is found insane he shall be committed to the Jonia State hospital and no proceedings for his release may be started within a year.

The number of bills introduced, 630, set a new high mark in the House. The Senate has passed the 800-mark. Only half of the bills will have been reported out for action on the floor when the adjournment comes, regardless of the date.

Inside Information

Peanuts make a good sandwich filling, if you put the roasted shelled nuts through a coarse meat grinder, and then stir in enough cream to make the mixture easy to spread. Add salt. This filling will not be pasty.

Don't iron white silk with a very hot iron. All silk scorches easily, and an iron too hot turns white silk yellow. Use a warm iron on the wrong side of the silk, and protect it with cheesecloth.

Here are three fine points in frying potatoes: Use a heavy skillet; let the pieces brown on one side before turning them; and cook only enough at one time to cover the bottom of the skillet, in a fairly thin layer.

Someone has said that "Thrill" is telling your money where to go, while shiftlessness is asking yourself where it went." The beginning of any month is a good time to start a budget.

Try strawberry pie or tart, made with a baked shell filled with fresh ripe strawberries; over which is poured a sauce made from a cupful of extra juice thickened with 1 1/2 tablespoons of cornstarch, sweetened to taste.

A baby as young as 3 or 4 weeks can be wrapped up and taken out in the sunshine in his baby carriage. The hood of the carriage can be pushed back and also the baby's cap, so that the sun will shine directly on the baby's cheeks. He should be turned first on one side and then on the other so that both cheeks will be exposed to the sun and yet the eyes kept away from the direct rays. The hands, too, may be exposed to the direct sunshine for a few minutes. At first this out-of-doors sunbathing should be only a few minutes at a time, so that the baby's delicate skin will not be burned. Later, as the skin begins to tan, the baby can be sunned longer and more and more of his body be exposed to the direct rays of the sun. Or give brief sunbaths indoors in front of an open window, keeping the baby out of a draft.

Cake icing can always be made successfully by using a double boiler and a Dover egg beater. Into the top of a double boiler put 1 cup of granulated sugar, 4 tablespoons of cold water, 1 egg white, and a pinch of salt. Commence at once beating over boiling water until the mixture looks like ordinary boiled frosting and is almost thick enough. Take from the stove, add 1/2 teaspoon vanilla, and continue beating until right for spreading. If too thin the icing can be cooked a little longer; if too stiff water may be added and the whole re-cooked. If chocolate frosting is wanted, add 2 1/2 squares of melted unsweetened chocolate when taking the icing from the stove. For caramel icing make caramel sirup and substitute 2 tablespoons of it for 2 of water and make the icing in the usual way.

To Start in 1932 Olympics



Ann V. O'Brien, twenty-year-old athlete, competed in the 1928 Olympics in the 50, 100 and 200-yard events and holds the world's record for the 50-yard dash for women. She is pictured here taking a high jump as she seriously goes about the business of conditioning herself for the 1932 Olympics. Miss O'Brien will carry the colors of the Pasadena A. C.

NOTICE

ON HEARING TO BE HELD PURSUANT TO SEC. 4 OF ACT 352, P. A. 1925 AS AMENDED ON THE CONSTRUCTION AND IMPROVEMENT OF ROAD PROJECT M 020-8 IN CRAWFORD CO., MICHIGAN.

This is to advise that it is proposed to construct and improve Road Project M 020-8 on Trunk Line US 27 from Frederic northerly and northeasterly to county line in Maple Forest and Frederic Townships, Crawford County, Michigan.

Being unable, after a good faith effort on my part, to agree with you for the purchase of an easement over and upon certain parcels of land, hereinafter described, of which you are the owners and which are necessary for the State to acquire in order to provide for the construction and improvement of this project, you are therefore hereby notified that I will be present in the Court House in the Village of Grayling, Michigan, at 4:00 o'clock in the afternoon, Eastern Standard Time, on Wednesday, May 27th, 1931, and hold a hearing pursuant to the provisions of Section 4, of Act 352, P. A. 1925 as amended, on the proposed construction and improvement and the necessity of taking these particular parcels of land therefor.

GROVER C. DILLMAN, State Highway Commissioner in and for the State of Michigan.

Dated at Lansing, Michigan, this 12th day of May, 1931.

PARCEL NO. 1—Station 305-50 to Station 309-07.

A strip of land 100 ft. in width lying southeasterly of and adjacent to the center line of US 27 as now surveyed over and across the NW 1/4 of the NW 1/4 of Sec. 5, T28N, R3W, Maple Forest Twp., Crawford Co., Mich. Said center line of US 27 being described as follows: Beginning at a point on the N line of Sec. 5, T28N, R3W, 239.6 ft. E of the NW corner of said Sec. 5, thence S 37 degrees 36 minutes W 470.4 ft. more or less, to the point of ending, containing exclusive of land in the present highway, 0.754 acres, more or less.

Owned by: King Karpen and wife, 311 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill.

PARCEL NO. 2—Station 266-10 to Station 305-50 E.

A strip of land 100 ft. in width lying southeasterly of and adjacent to the center line of US 27 as now surveyed over and across the NW 1/4 of the SE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 5, T28N, R3W, Maple Forest Twp., Crawford Co., Mich. Said center line of US 27 being described as follows: Commencing at a point on the N line of Sec. 5, T28N, R3W, Maple Forest Twp., Crawford Co., Mich. 239.6 ft. E of the NW corner of said Sec. 5, thence S 37 degrees 36 minutes W 429.7 ft. more or less, to the point of ending, containing exclusive of land in the present highway, 0.60 acres, more or less.

Owned by: King Karpen and wife, 311 S. Wabash Ave., Chicago, Ill. Subject to undisclosed interests owned by Serweis Wholesale Hardware Co., 642 Gratiot Ave., Detroit, Michigan.

PARCEL NO. 4—Station 239-50 to Station 248-96 E.

A strip of land 100 ft. in width lying southeasterly of and adjacent to the center line of US 27 as now surveyed over and across the SW 1/4 of Sec. 6, T28N, R3W, Maple Forest Twp., Crawford Co., Mich. Said center line of US 27 being described as follows: Commencing at a point on the S line of Sec. 12, T28N, R4W, Frederic Twp., Crawford Co., Mich., 873 ft. E of the SW corner of said Sec. 12, thence N 37 degrees 36 minutes E 803.3 ft. more or less, to the point of ending, containing exclusive of land in the present highway, 1.250 acres, more or less.

Owned by: Garfield A. Wood and wife, Detroit, Michigan. Subject to undisclosed interests owned by Serweis Hardware Co., 642 Gratiot Ave., Detroit, Michigan.

PARCEL NO. 6—Station 221-06 to Station 231-10 E.

A strip of land 100 ft. in width lying southeasterly of and adjacent to the center line of US 27 as now surveyed over and across the NE 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 12, T28N, R4W, Frederic Twp., Crawford Co., Mich. Said center line of US 27 being described as follows: Commencing at a point on the S line of Sec. 12, T28N, R4W, 873 ft. E of the SW corner of said Sec. 12, thence N 37 degrees 36 minutes E 624.7 ft. more or less, to the point of ending, containing exclusive of land in the present highway, 1.326 acres, more or less.

Owned by: E. M. Wood and wife, 3251 Burlingame Ave., Detroit, Michigan.

PARCEL NO. 9—Station 203-42 to Station 212-85 E.

A strip of land 100 ft. in width lying southeasterly of and adjacent to the center line of US 27 as now surveyed over and across the SW 1/4 of the NE 1/4 of Sec. 12, T28N, R4W, Frederic Twp., Crawford Co., Mich. Said center line of US 27 being described as follows: Commencing at a point on the S line of Sec. 12, T28N, R4W, 873 ft. E of the SW corner of said Sec. 12, thence N 37 degrees 36 minutes E 442.2 ft. more or less, to the point of ending, containing exclusive of land in the present highway, 1.236 acres, more or less.

Owned by: Walmer Jorgenson 1942 Washington Ave., Toledo, Ohio. Subject to tax interests owned by the Auditor General of the State of Michigan, Lansing, Michigan.

PARCEL NO. 7—Station 168-63 to Station 175-46 E.

A strip of land 100 ft. in width lying southeasterly of and adjacent to the center line of US 27 as now surveyed over and across the SW 1/4 of the SW 1/4 of Sec. 12, T28N, R4W, Frederic Twp., Crawford Co., Mich. Said center line of US 27 being described as follows: Commencing at a point on the S line of Sec. 12, T28N, R4W, 873 ft. E of the SW corner of said Sec. 12, thence N 37 degrees 36 minutes E 953 ft. more or less, to the point of ending, containing exclusive of land in the present highway, 0.838 acres, more or less.

Owned by: Garfield A. Wood and wife, Detroit, Michigan.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

COUNTY OF INGHAM

I, C. M. Ziegler, Deputy State Highway Commissioner, do hereby certify that I have compared the foregoing copy with the original of

record in the office of the State Highway Commissioner, and that the same is a correct transcript therefrom, and the whole of such original. In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand at the City of Lansing, on May 12, 1931.

C. M. ZIEGLER, Deputy State Highway Commissioner. 5-14-1

A new electrical harpoon which shocks whales to death brought 11,000 barrels of oil to the Norwegian fleet in the first week of operation.

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said court, held at the probate office, in the Village of Grayling, in said county, on the sixth day of May A. D. 1931.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Peter Asbli, deceased.

Mrs. Minnie Borchers having filed in said court her petition praying that said court adjudicate and determine who were at the time of his death the legal heirs of said deceased and entitled to inherit the real estate of which said deceased died seized.

It is ordered, that the 15th day of June A. D. 1931, at ten o'clock in the forenoon, at said probate office, be and is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, that public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy of this order, for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate. 5-14-4

In the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, In Chancery.

Etta Loper, Plaintiff, vs.

William Loper, Defendant.

Suit pending in the Circuit Court for the County of Crawford, in Chancery.

It appearing by affidavit of Merle F. Nellist, attorney for plaintiff, William Loper, is unknown and it cannot be ascertained in what state or country the said defendant, William Loper resides, as appears by said affidavit filed in this cause. On motion of Merle F. Nellist, attorney for plaintiff, Etta Loper, it is hereby ordered that the defendant, William Loper, cause his appearance to be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order, or default will be entered, and that this order be published as is required by law.

Dated, April 11, 1931. GUY E. SMITH, Circuit Judge.

4-30-6

STATE OF MICHIGAN

The Probate Court for the County of Crawford.

At a session of said Court, held at the Probate Office in the Village of Grayling in said County, on the 6th day of April, A. D. 1931.

Present: Hon. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate.

In the matter of the estate of Richard D. Connine, deceased.

Louise T. Connine of the City of Birmingham, having filed her petition, praying that an instrument filed in said Court be admitted to Probate as the last will and testament of said deceased and that administration and settlement of said estate be granted to said Louise T. Connine or some other suitable person.

It is ordered, that the 4th day of May, A. D. 1931, at ten a. m., at said Probate Office is hereby appointed for hearing said petition.

It is further ordered, That public notice thereof be given by publication of a copy hereof for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing in the Crawford Avalanche, a newspaper printed and circulated in said County.

GEORGE SORENSON, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. George Sorenson, Judge of Probate. 4-16-4

NOTICE OF MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the terms and conditions of a certain mortgage made by Holger F. Peterson and Bertha S. Peterson, his wife to Andrew Peterson, dated the 23rd day of September, A. D. 1926, and recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Crawford County, on the 25th day of September, 1926, in Liber H of Mortgages, on page 400, and

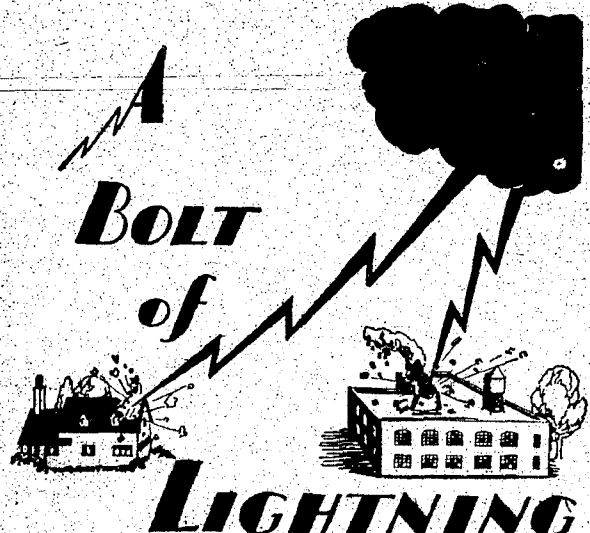
WHEREAS, by reason of said default there is claimed to be due and is due at the date of this notice, including principal and interest the sum of two thousand nine hundred ninety-six and 2/100 (\$2,996.27) dollars, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the said debt now secured by said mortgage, or any part thereof, NOW, THEREFORE, notice is given that by virtue of the power of sale in said mortgage contained, and of the statutes of the State of Michigan, in such case made and provided, the undersigned will sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash on Wednesday, July 8, 1931, at the front entrance to the County Building in the Village of Grayling, that being the building wherein the circuit court for the County of Crawford is held, the premises described in said mortgage, or sufficient thereof to satisfy the indebtedness and the costs and expenses of sale, including the attorney's fee allowed by law, and also any sum or sums that shall be paid at or before said sale, by the undersigned, for taxes or insurance to protect his interest in the premises described in said mortgage as situated in the Village of Grayling, County of Crawford and State of Michigan, described as follows:

Lot eight (8) of Block nine (9) of Bader's Second addition to the Village of Grayling.

Dated at Detroit this 1st day of April 1931.

AXEL PETERSON, Executor of the estate of Andrew Peterson, Mortgagee.

Lowest and Orr, Attorneys for mortgagee, 3111 Green Guardian Bldg., Detroit, Michigan. 4-2-13



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News Briefs

THURSDAY, MAY 14, 1931

Bostonian oxfords for men in all sizes and widths, at Olson's. —Adv.

Mrs. Marius Hanson and Miss Hanson left Friday to spend several days in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Scott are moving from Roscommon and expect to make their home here.

Miss Marie Schmidt of Bay City spent Sunday at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Schmidt.

Frank Whipple accompanied by Edward Waldron and Mrs. Lee Richardson returned to Lansing Sunday.

Keep in mind the bake sale to be held at the Schlotz grocery on May 23rd. There will be lots of good things to eat.

Miss Lura Ensign had as her guests at the Junior Prom, Miss Ethel Quigley and Melvin Purdy of Flint.

Miss Jean Thorne entertained Wilfred Dodge of Alpena over the week end, he coming to attend the Junior Prom.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Cripps returned home Monday having spent a few days visiting relatives here and at Mio.

The Rebekahs will hold their regular meeting tonight (Thursday) at I. O. O. F. hall. Members are requested to be present.

Mrs. Theodore Stephan isn't taking the back seat for the men when it comes to trout fishing. A limit catch by her Sunday is reported.

Dr. and Mrs. C. G. Clippert and Billyann spent Mother's Day with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Webb at their farm home near Mt. Pleasant.

Charles Waldron was called to Omer Saturday owing to the serious illness of his father Edward Waldron, a former resident of Grayling.

Mr. and Mrs. George Burke left this morning to spend a few days in Toledo and Detroit, expecting to drive back a new Ford on their return for a customer.

Mrs. Saloma Simpson had the misfortune to fall at the home of Mrs. Mary Barber Thursday evening. She is now resting very comfortably at Mercy Hospital.

Charles Kinney, proprietor of the AuSable Dairy has moved his family from Gaylord and they are occupying the Peter Jorgenson house on Peninsular avenue.

Fred Bromwell of Lake Leelanau and a friend Mr. Kelley of Detroit spent Monday here trout fishing. They were guests at the home of the former's sister, Mrs. Adolph Peterson.

A retailer wrote to a firm ordering a supply of goods. The firm wired in reply: "Can't send goods until last consignment paid for." The retailer replied: "Cancel order. Can't wait that long."

Phil VanPatten of Flint spent Sunday here visiting relatives.

Haircuts 40c for ladies, men and children, at the Rialto Barber Shop.

Dance Saturday night at Burton Hotel. 75c per couple; extra lady 25c.

See our new Enna Jettick Golf oxfords for women at Olson's. Adv.

Miss Georgiana Olson entertained Miss Kathryn Anderson of Mio over the Junior Prom.

The Woman's Auxiliary are making plans for their annual poppy sale during the week of Memorial day.

Enna Jettick Golf oxfords for women with higher heels in black and white or tan and elk at Olson's. Adv.

Dance, Frederic Town Hall every Saturday night. Good music, good floor and lots of room. Everyone invited.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Trudo of Midland and Clarence Brown of Bay City spent Sunday at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Brown.

The annual 7th and 8th grade state examinations are being held today and tomorrow at Grayling and Fredric. About 30 pupils are writing on the 7th grade examination and 40 on the 8th.

Miss Ellen Gothro had as her guests for the week end Messrs. Edmund Minerva and Irving Tholberg of Milwaukee and Paul Meyers of Youngstown, Ohio, all of whom attend school in Flint.

George Hadd of Bay City, actylene welder for the M. C. R. R. is in Grayling doing some work, expecting to be here for several days. He is a guest at the home of Henry Jordan while here.

Mrs. Hazel Kockanawski and children of Detroit will spend a month here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Waldron and other relatives before returning to her home in Detroit.

Mrs. Nikolai Schlotz, Mrs. Louis Herberison and Miss Margrethe Hemmingson attended a district meeting of Woman's club held in Bay City Tuesday and Wednesday. Miss Hemmingson was a delegate from the Woman's club.

The seventh son was born to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Friday of Cheboygan at Mercy Hospital Tuesday night. Mrs. Friday will be remembered as Kathryn Tirk, who attended the Mercy Hospital Training school some years ago. Mr. Friday was employed at the Hospital at one time.

The following are among those from out of town who were in attendance at the Prom: Henry Halberg, Arthur Kujala, Lewiston; Miss Ruby Stephan, George Granger, Lansing; Miss Ethel Quigley, Melvin Purdy, Flint; Wilfred Dodge, Alpena; Ralph Guoin, Cheboygan; Miss Helen Lietz, Bay City; Mrs. Herbert Ward, Mr. Wolf, Detroit; Joe Higgins, Mr. Thomas, Hale; Arnold Bjork, Grand Rapids; Miss Kathryn Anderson, Mio; Miss Helen Johnson, Billy Johnson, Louis McCoy, Gaylord; Bruno Cunnalia, Jimmy Price, Duane McWilliams, Roscommon; Miss Inez Anderson, McBain; Miss Joan Armstrong, West Branch.

Dr. Stephenson, ophthalmologist of Detroit has joined the District Health department and, operating under the Children's fund will look after the eyes of the children of this health unit, and fit glasses. Children of indigent families will be served and glasses furnished without cost. Consultation will be given all eye-trouble cases that have been reported by the nurses and doctors, whether indigent or not. Dr. Stephenson will remain here until all necessary work has been looked after. Another fine example of the philanthropy of Senator James Couzens.

"Our Gang" was entertained by Mrs. Kenneth Clise at the home of Mrs. George Clise last Thursday afternoon. The meeting was in form of a joint birthday party for Mrs. Mrs. Dewey Palmer, Mrs. Charles Corwin and Mrs. Barton Wakeley whose birthdays come during the month of May. Each of the ladies received a birthday gift from the club. The afternoon was spent visiting and a game given by the entertainer. Mrs. Seeley Wakeley was enjoyed by everyone. The penny prize was won by Mrs. Albert Knibbs. A delicious birthday lunch was furnished by the committee to about twenty members and guests. The guests included Mrs. Margaret Harvey, Mrs. Emory Craft, Mrs. Arthur Parker and Mrs. Rollo Palling. The two former guests were also taken into the club. A lovely birthday cake centered the table. The cake was made by Mrs. Effie Broadbent. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Charlesfour and the entertainer will be Mrs. John Wakeley.

Children's oxfords, solid leather, 98c to \$1.19, at Olson's.

Mrs. Alfred Hanson is spending several days in Detroit.

For Sale. Dry beach and maple wood, also green oak wood, at Burkes Garage.

"Trader Horn" at the Rialto tonight and Friday night. It's a great picture; don't miss it.

Try our new \$5 and \$7 permanents, work guaranteed. Also the genuine Eugene at \$10. Blanche Beauty Shop.

Mayor J. Harry Nelson and wife of Bay City are spending several weeks enjoying an outing at Higgins Lake.

\$5.00 worth of flies given away each month—Come in and see how. Hanson Hdwe. Co.

Einer Rasmussen and son Ralph Peter of Marlette spent Mother's Day visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Peter Rasmussen. Mr. Rasmussen accompanied his son on his return for a visit.

George Miller Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Cody and family spent the week end visiting relatives in Flint. Mrs. Cody and little son Eddie remained for the week, visiting her sisters Mrs. Frank Karnes and Mrs. Edward King.

Miss Helen Lietz, who is attending the training school for nurses at Mercy Hospital, Bay City, spent the week end visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roman Lietz. She came Friday to attend the Junior prom and remained until Sunday.

Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson returned home Thursday after a several weeks visit in Detroit, the guest of her daughter Mr. Ralph Warner. On Thursday evening, April 31st, Mrs. Warner gave a delightful surprise party in her mother's honor, entertaining 21 guests, most of whom were former Grayling people, who now reside in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy L. Worden and sons of Hazel Park, Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Marshall and children of Kalkaska and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Worden and children spent Mother's Day with their mother, Mrs. Alice Worden and brother Harry and wife. Mrs. Alice Worden accompanied her son Guy and family on their return to Hazel Park for a few weeks visit.

The Sandwich Shop that opened last Friday and is operated by Mrs. H. C. Schmidt and son Howard is a pleasant place to eat. The whole interior has been nicely repainted in ivory and with the small tables and chairs of same color, the dining room is very inviting. Sandwiches of all kinds are served and later Mrs. Schmidt plans to serve other delicacies.

Mr. and Mrs. Paige of Lovells, Mr. and Mrs. Ace Long and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Barber and family, Mr. and Mrs. O'Dell and family, Mrs. Leeman, and Mrs. E. Roe of Frederic attended church services at Houghton Heights Sunday morning, May 3, where Rev. Earle and President McCue are in charge. Each took a pot luck dinner, and a pleasant time was had by all.

Mrs. Joseph Skoda was guest of honor at a very pleasant luncheon given by Mrs. H. A. Bauman to twelve ladies at Shoppengons Inn Saturday afternoon. Bright red roses, tulips and baby breath made a very attractive center to the long table at which the guests were seated. Mrs. Skoda and Mrs. Eabern Hanson were prize winners at bridge which followed the luncheon at the home of Mrs. Bauman.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Niederer and Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Peterson and daughters Jerinne and Natalie motored to Bay City Sunday and spent the day with the Guy Peterson family. Three of the Peterson children have been quite ill. Little Thorwald and Robert are patients at Mercy Hospital, the former having recently undergone an operation for mastoid. Robert suffered an attack of pneumonia and had a double mastoid and little Jerry is ill with pneumonia at their home. However they have all passed the crisis period and are on the road to recovery.

Dr. Stephenson, ophthalmologist of Detroit has joined the District Health department and, operating under the Children's fund will look after the eyes of the children of this health unit, and fit glasses. Children of indigent families will be served and glasses furnished without cost. Consultation will be given all eye-trouble cases that have been reported by the nurses and doctors, whether indigent or not. Dr. Stephenson will remain here until all necessary work has been looked after. Another fine example of the philanthropy of Senator James Couzens.

"Our Gang" was entertained by Mrs. Kenneth Clise at the home of Mrs. George Clise last Thursday afternoon. The meeting was in form of a joint birthday party for Mrs. Mrs. Dewey Palmer, Mrs. Charles Corwin and Mrs. Barton Wakeley whose birthdays come during the month of May. Each of the ladies received a birthday gift from the club. The afternoon was spent visiting and a game given by the entertainer. Mrs. Seeley Wakeley was enjoyed by everyone. The penny prize was won by Mrs. Albert Knibbs. A delicious birthday lunch was furnished by the committee to about twenty members and guests. The guests included Mrs. Margaret Harvey, Mrs. Emory Craft, Mrs. Arthur Parker and Mrs. Rollo Palling. The two former guests were also taken into the club. A lovely birthday cake centered the table. The cake was made by Mrs. Effie Broadbent. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. John Charlesfour and the entertainer will be Mrs. John Wakeley.

See the new Anna Howe sandals, also Deauville sandals at Olson's.

Sidney Graham returned Monday from Florida where he spent the winter. Mrs. Graham will return home later.

Mrs. Ernest Jorgenson and daughter Betty Lou of Detroit are spending a couple of weeks or more here visiting Mrs. Rasmus Jorgenson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Nels Corwin, Marie, Hanson and Carl Hanson drove to Saginaw Sunday, and on their return brought back a new car for the Corwin Auto Sales.

Freeman Champion oxfords for young men at 4 and 5 dollars, at Olson's.

Ladies, you will like our new permanents, priced at \$5 and \$7, also the genuine Eugene at \$10. All work guaranteed. Blanche Beauty Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Reinhardt of Bay City spent Sunday with the latter's mother, Mrs. J. S. Jensen and her brother Andrew.

Cottage wanted on Lake Murgrothe for July. Reliable parties. Anyone having a cottage for rent, kindly notify Avalanche Office. Phone 111.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Alexander returned from a few days visit in Grand Rapids, driving back a fine new Nash eight sedan.

A group of the Gideon society of Detroit, that is furnishing special music and lectures in various churches throughout Michigan this summer, has engaged Miss Bertha McDonald, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sam McDonald of Detroit as pianist.

Don't miss seeing "Trader Horn" tonight and Friday night at the Rialto theatre. This is one of the greatest pictures ever presented. We had the privilege of seeing it in Bay City recently and we intend to see it again here. Wouldn't have missed it for anything.

The Sisters of Mercy are feeling very happy over the recent gift of half stretch of land lying east and north of the Hospital. Mrs. Anna Insley of Detroit is the donor and the Sisters are very grateful to her for it. They plan to improve it by planting trees and shrubbery.

Frank Gray has purchased a forty acre farm west of Gaylord and is moving his family there next week. He says there isn't anything in allroad these days and feels that he can at least make a living on a farm. Mr. Gray is a good worker and a good citizen and we wish him good luck in his new venture.

The Ladies Aid of Michelson Memorial church met with Mrs. J. W. Greenwood on Thursday afternoon. It was the annual meeting and the following officers were elected: Pres., Mrs. Oscar Schumann, Vice Pres., Mrs. Fred Welsh, 2nd vice Pres., Mrs. A. J. Joseph, Sec., Mrs. R. R. Burns, Treas., Mrs. T. P. Peterson. The new officers do not take office until October.

Reuben S. Babbitt broke into golf Tuesday. He accompanied Postmaster Bates and Mr. Babbitt played five holes and says "it's great fun." Just a couple of more rounds and Rubie will be just as enthusiastic for the game as a lot of those who at one time "couldn't see any sense in it." Last week Supervisor Tony Nelson took his annual round. Wednesday Dad Hanson made his maiden effort. It surely is a great game and we welcome such splendid fellows into it.

The trout fishing season opened last Friday and while the weather conditions that day were ideal, the catch of trout was extremely disappointing to the hundreds of fishermen who lined the AuSable river for the opening day. Not enough trout were caught to make a real good meal for one person. While an abundance of fish were seen in the stream, an unusual condition prevailed over the opening days in that the stream was literally alive with angle worms. For days prior to the opening, boys in quest of worms visited different points along the stream and scooped up thousands of them with nets and all along the stream for miles fishermen report the worms drifting in the current. With natural food rolling into their mouths the trout were loath to be coaxed to the fisherman's creel with spinner or fly.—Roscommon Herald-News.

Rather than set back and lament about hard times and feel doubtful as to the resort business for the coming season, Frank R. Johnson of the Rustic Tavern and Houghton Lake Forest, near Prudenville, is going ahead with vast improvements at his resort which tend to make his place more attractive, then on top of this he is putting forth an extra effort in going after business through the medium of advertising. Rather than cut down on his advertising in the face of dull times, as many others do, he is increasing his advertising at least a third over that of last year, and he sure is keeping the wheels of the Herald-News printer shop twisting to supply his needs. Already he has on the way and mailing out some 65,000 pieces of literature—25,000 folders descriptive of his resort and 40,000 small pieces which no doubt will be added to by other pieces before the season gets under way. While others were lamenting a slow business last season, Mr. Johnson enjoyed a "full house" and no doubt will do likewise this season. Advertising has meant his success. If others catering to the tourist and resort business, both in Roscommon county and Northeast Michigan, would follow his example there is no question as to what the results would be.—Roscommon Herald-News.

4-H Club boys of Calhoun County, Michigan, planted 11,000 forest trees last year.

Better Than Ever New Spring Top Coats and Suits

All Wool Fabrics and Hand-Tailored

\$22.50

Ladies' Sport Oxfords
Several New Styles

\$2.95 and \$3.50

Ladies' Raincoats
1-2 Price

Children's Spring Coats, \$1.98

JOIN NOW!

Blanket Club

All-Wool Blankets in
in double or single.

Pay 45c down and 50c
per week.

Double Blankets, \$8.95
Single Blankets, \$7.95

Grayling Mercantile Co.

Phone 125—The Quality Store—Grayling

Beautiful Flanders

The enticements of the Middle ages linger on everywhere in Brugha and Ghent where some of the finest examples of the Flemish builders' art are found and whose deep but sweet-toned bells have rung out alarms of war and paeans of victory in the past and remain to delight the modern visitor with their music. Carillon concerts are held in both cities during the summer and also in Malines, Tournai and other places. The bellfries of Brugha and Ghent are world shrines and the flower and bulb fields of the latter are equaled only in Holland.

Childish Simplicity

Four-year-old Billie had spent a happy afternoon with a little neighborhood visitor. When his mother asked the child's name, he replied he did not know. "Will you please tell me how you could play together so long without knowing each other's names?" insisted his mother. "O, that was easy," said the resourceful Billie, "I just called her 'Hey' and she called me 'Say.'"

Read your home paper.
Subscribe for the Avalanche.

Michelson Memorial Church

John Wilfred Greenwood, Minister

Sunday, May 17, 1931

11:00 A. M.—Theme: "The Foolishness of Jesus."
7:30 P. M.—Theme: "Sweet Mystery of Night."

What We Do Not Use, We Lose.

In one of the attractive parables of Jesus, He says something about our incapacity to keep that which we do not use. "Take it from him that hath NOT and give to him that HATH." And when He said that, He was stating a law that is just as inexorable as the law of gravity. The arm which is not exercised loses its strength by degrees and the sinews shrink. A few months in bed make it necessary for us to learn how to walk all over again. The man who does not use his mind, will soon have a dulled intellect. The business man who does not get new business finds himself in bankruptcy. Nothing is sadder than to see this law at work in human life. And God is not mocked. Life takes on everlastingness or scordiness according to the things we choose to do.

We do well to inquire—Are the experiences of life "pretty bubbles in the air", or have they substantial qualities of endurance. Jesus would have us possess ETERNAL life here and now.

CORRECTION.

A recent issue of the Avalanche stated that C. S. Barber resigned as superintendent of highways of the county and that James Knibbs was appointed to fill the position. Mr. Barber asks to make correction, claiming that he did NOT resign but that he was FIRED by the board instead. Well, there it is just as he would have it.

APPRECIATION

I wish to assure my friends that I deeply appreciated their efforts in my behalf during the Red Arrow Rooster contest, making it possible for me to win third prize.

Mrs. Vivian Peterson.

Chickens and gardens don't mix satisfactorily. If you have chickens and your neighbor has a garden, it is your duty to keep your chickens at home, even if you have to coop them up. Don't wait to be requested to keep your chickens at home. Common sense should teach you what is the right thing to do.

House for rent. Good location and pleasant place. Call phone 111. O. P. Schumann, Avalanche Bldg.

Wanted—A party to furnish capital to complete an invention of a motor that needs no gas, water or spark plugs, for an interest therein.

A. J. Dittich,
Grayling, Mich.

RIALTO THEATRE

Grayling

Thursday-Friday, May 14-15

The Terrors of the Jungle— The Strangest of Romances

unfold before your very eyes
in the greatest adventure
picture of them all!

TRADER HORN



THEY travelled 14,000 miles to Africa to make this miracle picture! Two years in the making!

A thousand thrills! The greatest wild animal fights ever filmed!

And against this strange setting the most beautiful and satisfying love-story ever told.



Your Trees

Give them the care they deserve...
WRITE
A. G. CLOUGH, Tree Expert,
GRAYLING, MICH.
Free Inspection

Special for Saturday

2 Bunches of Carrots for 13c

10 extra Silverware Coupons on \$1.00 sale of
Groceries—Saturday Only

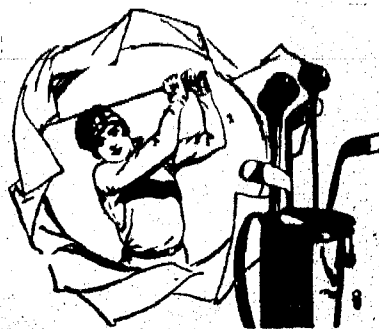
Cash & Carry Store on U. S. 27
Mrs. E. E. Hartley
PROPRIETOR

Play Golf?

We have everything for the golfer:

**Complete line of Clubs
Bags, Balls, Tees, Etc.**

Come in and see. We can suit you.



Fishing Tackle

Fly Rods
Casting Rods
Reels
Lines
Leaders
Flies
Spinners

**Outfits
for
Rent**

Waders, Rods,
Reels and Lines
FOR RENT

Landing Nets
Creels
Bait Boxes
Artificial Bait
of all kinds
Hooks
Waders

O. Sorenson & Son

Sporting Goods Store

The Log Office Says



Interesting bits of news and comment about Northeastern Michigan gathered by the E. M. T. A.

Governor Brucker drew the attention of all Michigan to the vast amount of tourist business within the state—\$300,000,000 a year—and the evident possibilities for its speedy development in a stirring speech at Grand Rapids Wednesday night.

His talk marked the climax of the two-day gathering in which the four officially recognized tourist associations met and planned to make 1931 the biggest tourist year ever.

He stressed the value of the tourist business as a prosperity builder, calling it "the only depression proof industry in existence."

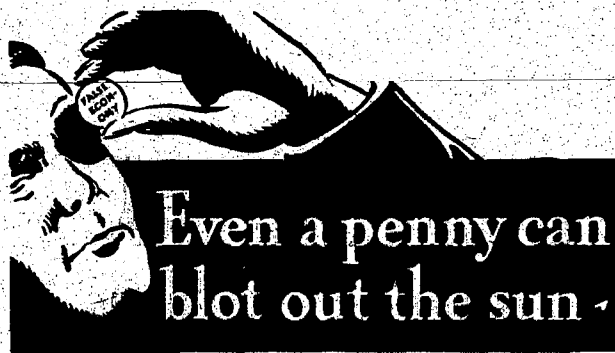
Thousands of dollars of newspaper space were devoted to the meeting. Both news and editorial columns re-echoed with thunder of what the tourist business actually means to the state.

Cheery smile around the corner of his mouth, in the eyes, too—short, not

thin—has habit of placing leg over arm of chair in private ease—true ardent sportsman—makes friends easily—infectious good humor—president of sportsmen's club—has fundamental good sense—lives within 100 miles of Standish—travels through state. WHO IS HE? An original fish story will be told to the first person sending in the correct answer.

With the legislature and tourist associations making plans for carloads of publicity for Michigan's beauty spots through inviting Hoover to Michigan, things were progressing in great shape. Then the President wrote a letter to Gov. Brucker that he would like to come but official business will keep him close to Washington this year. The steam in the engine stopped.

Les Keegan, president of Bay City Board of Commerce says the Governor should have attached a postscript to his letter of invitation



Even a penny can blot out the sun

Why

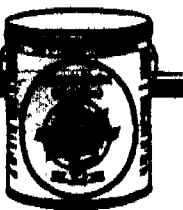
let a paltry saving of 50¢ to 75¢ per gallon blind you to the big saving in Quality Paint?

FIGURE it for yourself. "Ordinary" house paint frequently costs 50c to 75c per gallon less than Acme Quality NEW ERA, the Quality house paint. But, only 13 gallons of NEW ERA House Paint give you a beautiful job that lasts 5 years. To do the same job requires 17 gallons of ordinary paint—and it lasts only 3 years. In other words, NEW ERA House Paint, at slightly higher price per gallon, costs less by the job and less by the year. It saves money for you every year and keeps your house looking better. Come in and let us figure out what this saving will be on your house. See the actual figures before you buy any house paint or let out any job.

**ACME QUALITY
HOUSE PAINT**

Grayling Hardware

Costs less
per job per year



saying "please do not answer at once."

Angling—Mrs. E. N. Orders of Mullet Lake caught a wall-eyed pike 27 inches long—count 'em. Joe Nichols claims a catch at Black river of a great northern pike 32½ inches long—there is exactitude for you. Each of three Bay Cityans reports a haul of the 15 fish limit in a try at the east branch of the AuGres. And Black river enters again—Mr. LaVigne pulled in a 23-inch rainbow trout. Beat them if you can.

Along the paths and bypaths—Bay-Straits League of Sportsmen begins membership drive—roadside park at Huron City being developed—work resumed on Mackinaw City ferry dock—Midland opens luxurious country club—Van Etan hotel on Van Etan Lake sold to Fort Shelby interests of Detroit, to be named Van Etan-On-the-Lake—hundreds visit Standish Trading Post, new \$50,000 development—4,000 spruce and pine seedlings planted at Oakdale Park—Lake George—plans under way at Gladstone for aquatic park—Greenbush golf course open—Osage County resorts under way early—and the trail ends.

Co-ordination of tourist advertising was planned by the secretaries of the four official tourist associations at Lansing last Thursday. Newspapers, the radio, magazines and other media will be used to bring a caravan of cars to Michigan.

MAPLE FOREST NEWS

Mrs. Richard Babbitt entertained several of the ladies of the Crawford County Grange at a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Stanley Hummel. Contests were enjoyed, the winners being Mrs. Hugo Schreiber and Mrs. C. E. Owen, consolations going to Mrs. Alfred Hummel and Mrs. Alvin Richter. Everybody enjoyed themselves and Mrs. Hummel was showered with many lovely gifts.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Lozon and family have moved on the Nebbs farm.

Miss Helen Woodburn is working at the Dan Babbitt place down river. Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wilcox and little daughter of Bay City are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Verlinde.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Parson and son Victor spent Sunday with the John Parson family at Rogers City.

Miss Sarah Vance, teacher in the Woodburn district, has returned to Mt. Pleasant to complete her life certificate.

Mrs. Stoutenberg who has spent the winter with her daughter, Mrs. Wm. Woodburn, has left to visit other daughters in the southern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Herb Smith of Flint spent last week end at the Arthur Howse home.

PERMANENT PLATES FOR AUTO TAGS SUGGESTED

Permanent automobile license plates and number, provided with slots into which the automobile owner would be required to slip a year number obtained on payment of the usual automobile license fees, are proposed in a bill by Rep. William J. Thomas of Kent, and before the House committee on roads and bridges today.

Rep. Frank P. Darin of River Rouge, introduced a bill to prohibit discrimination in retail prices. He says the measure is intended to prevent chain stores from cutting prices in order to establish new stores, or drive local competitors out of business.

Little Known of Shakespeare
Despite the constant studies of Shakespeare it is still unknown exactly on what date Shakespeare was born; what he did before he was eighteen; the date and place of his marriage; where he lived afterwards; which year he reached London, and when he first joined a company of players.

News Review of Current Events the World Over

International Chamber of Commerce Debates Causes and Cures of Economic Depression—Financiers Scored by M. A. Traylor.

By EDWARD W. PICKARD



M. A. Traylor

WHAT ails this old world? What are the causes of the ailments? What can be done about it? These were the questions asked and in various ways answered by scores of the leading men in finance and industry from 43 nations, assembled in Washington for the sessions of the International Chamber of Commerce, newly elected president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, formally opened the meeting and then Georges Theunis, former Belgian premier and retiring president of the international body, took the chair.

The first address was the speech of President Hoover welcoming the delegates, and the Chief Executive seized the occasion to take another hard wallop at war and armaments. He said he believed the certain way to restore prosperity was to lighten the burden of national defense which is now costing the nations more than \$5,000,000,000 a year and keeping nearly 5,000,000 men actively under arms. He urged the business men of the five continents to mobilize their influence upon their respective governments to join in the reduction of armaments at the international conference to be held next year under the auspices of the League of Nations.

"Of all proposals for the economic rehabilitation of the world," said Mr. Hoover, "I know of none which compares in necessity or importance with the successful result of that conference."

M. Theunis submitted a long and exhaustive report on world conditions, in the course of which he said: "I am personally convinced that the commercial policy and the customs tariff in force in most of the countries of the world constitute one of the fundamental causes of our actual economic troubles. A liberal customs policy might be expected to lead to better business conditions."

He thus showed he was in accord with certain prominent members of the United States Chamber of Commerce who at their meeting in Atlantic City called for a tariff revision downward.

Melvin A. Traylor, prominent Chicago banker, electrified his hearers by a scorching attack on commercial leaders and government executives of America. "Ambition, cupidity and greed have dictated policies, and trouble has been the result," he declared. "It is a tragedy when in a world of plenty there should be so much poverty and when in a nation that boasts of its riches, 5,000,000 or more persons willing to work should be unable to find employment. It is a challenge to the world and especially to American business and political leadership."

Mr. Traylor's attack began with a criticism of manufacturers who took advantage of technological and management improvements to swell their output to a point far in excess of the possibilities of consumption. And he was equally severe in his characterization of the methods of bankers and of traders on the floors of the stock and grain exchanges. He urged that floor trading and small margin accounts be forbidden.

MR. STRAWN when he addressed the delegates to the international meeting invited them all to Chicago for the "jubilee" celebration of May 10 to 20, and he received assurance that many of them would attend. The Midwest metropolis had made most elaborate preparations for this affair, the program including festivals in the brightly decorated "loop" district, big parades, dedication of the replica of Fort Dearborn, first of the Century of Progress exposition buildings, and, to wind up with, the elaborate war game of the air force of the army.

PREVAILING depression has not affected the Boy Scouts of America. The national council celebrated at a two day meeting in Memphis the close of the twenty-first year of the organization and announced it had been the best and most eventful of all. President Walter W. Head of Chicago presided at all the sessions and on the last day Mortimer Schiff, New York banker, was elected president for 1931.

At a banquet concluding the first day's session Dan Beard, veteran Indian fighter and chief commissioner of Boy Scouts, presented the silver buffalo, highest honor in the gift of the organization, to an English peer and six Americans. Those honored were Lord Hampton, chief commissioner of British Boy Scouts; Griffith Ogden Ellis, editor of The American Boy magazine; Lewis Gawtry, New York banker; George W. Olmstead, Pennsylvania public utilities executive; Victor F. Ridder, New York newspaper publisher; Robert P. Sutfen, Yonkers, N. Y., merchandising expert, and Mel R. Wilkinson, Atlanta (Ga.) merchant and manufacturer. Citations praised them for distinguished service to scouting.

Lord Hampton, long prominent in English Boy Scout work, served with distinction in the World war. He was awarded the Silver Cross for life saving in 1919 and the following year

received the award of the Silver Wolf, the British Scout decoration for distinguished service to boys.

HERE is something else for certain active opponents of the dry law to ponder upon. The District of Columbia Court of Appeals, in an opinion which takes away from Robert de Francis of Washington the citizenship granted him in 1927, holds that a violator of the prohibition act cannot be attached to the principles of the Constitution and is not a person of good moral character.

The decision reversed the action of the District of Columbia Supreme court which had denied a petition by United States Attorney Leo A. Rover seeking to set aside Francis' naturalization.



Albert B. Fall

HIS conviction on the charge of accepting a bribe having been upheld by the District of Columbia court of appeals, Albert B. Fall says he has decided not to carry the case to the Supreme court of the United States. The former secretary of the interior, it seems, must serve the one year term in prison to which he was sentenced, and pay a fine of \$100,000, unless President Hoover intervenes with a pardon—which is the hope of his friends.

Fall, interviewed at his ranch in New Mexico, said his attitude toward a Presidential pardon was rather passive. "I am an old man," he said. "I am not guilty of the crime of which I was accused. I had fought until I am worn out and considerations for my family impel me to carry the fight no further."

He said he had no money with which to pay the fine and explained he had lost ownership of the ranch on which he lives when a mortgage was foreclosed several years ago.

MOTHERS and children and their welfare were the topics of especial consideration during the week throughout the nation. To promote better maternity care for the women of the United States was the object of a big meeting in the Park Lane hotel, New York city, the arrangements for which were in the charge of Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt.

Prominent physicians and health officers as well as many well known women were among the attendants, the latter including Mrs. Herbert Hoover, Mrs. John Sloan, Mrs. August Belmont, Mrs. E. Marshall Field, Mrs. Jeremiah Millard, Mrs. Samuel Schiffer, Mrs. Robert L. Gerry, Mrs. John R. Drexel, Miss Mabel Choate, and Miss Frances Perkins, New York state industrial commissioner.

PULITZER prize awards for literary excellence in 1930 have been announced, and there are few if any surprises in the list. The main awards are: Best novel, Mrs. Margaret Ayer Barnes, for "Years of Grace"; best book dealing with the history of the United States, Prof. Bernard P. Schmitt of University of Chicago, for "The Coming of the War"; best play, Susan Glaspell, for "Alison's House"; best American biography, Henry James, for "Charles W. Eliot"; best volume of verse, Robert Frost, for "Collected Poems"; best piece of reportorial work, A. B. Macdonald of the Kansas City Star; best example of foreign correspondence, H. R. Knickerbocker of the Philadelphia Ledger; best editorial, C. S. Ryan of the Fremont (Neb.) Tribune; best cartoon, Edmund Duffy of the Baltimore Sun. A gold medal was awarded the Constitution of Atlanta, Ga., for meritorious public service in exposing municipal graft. Several young men were given traveling scholarships in journalism.

GEORGE FISHER BAKER of New York, reputed to be the richest American banker and the third richest man in the country, who died of pneumonia at the age of ninety-one, was buried Tuesday in Tuxedo Park, N. Y., where he resided. Many persons prominent in finance and in life generally were present at the funeral.

Because Mr. Baker died in a period of price depression, the United States and the state of New York will receive in inheritance taxes far less of his amassed wealth than would have been the case had he passed away two years ago. His estate is estimated at something like \$500,000,000.

FRENCH opposition to the proposed Austro-German customs accord seems to be effective at least to the extent of keeping the little entente out of line. The foreign ministers of that entente have stated that all questions concerning the accord must and the countries of the little entente firmly united in their attitude, and what that attitude will be is indicated by the fact that the Rumanian government has informed Berlin that it does not wish to negotiate with Germany at this time. M. Briand is being warmly supported by Czechoslovakia.

Plodding Diligence
A plodding diligence brings us sooner to our journey's end than a flitting way of advancing by starts.—L'Estrange.



May 26 - 27
IS THE DEADLINE

For entries in the handicraft contest. All articles to be entered in the contest will be announced next week. GET BUSY!

If you do not care to enter articles of your own making, then enter those made by someone else. Remember the only requirement of entries is that they must be made by hand. Rummage through the old family heirlooms, that have long since been carefully stored away—articles made by your grandparents or other ancestors. You will be surprised at the workmanship seen in some of these old family treasures.

The Red Arrow club will award many fine prizes, also first, second and third place ribbons to the winners of each division.

A number of miscellaneous prizes and ribbons will also be awarded for entries that do not come under any particular classification.

There will be a prize for the best FAMILY EXHIBIT. Ask about it.

Your Exhibit Is Wanted

The Red Arrow merchants are trying to make this the biggest exhibit of handiwork and skill ever seen in Grayling.

Some of the unique items suggested are as follows:

WOODWORK	MODEL AIRPLANES
ARTIFICIAL FLOWERS	FAMILY EXHIBIT
NEEDLEWORK	TOYS
DRESSED DOLLS	MISCELLANEOUS
BIRD HOUSES	

What have you to enter?

The next Red Arrow auction will be held at Temple Theatre, Friday, May 29. Be there!

RED ARROW PLACES

When You Spend a Dollar here
You get a RED ARROW dollar back

Sorenson Bros., Furniture

Olaf Sorenson & Son

Grayling Hardware

Coolley's Gift Shop

Economy Store

H. Petersen, Grocer

Alfred Hanson Service Station

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FREDERIC NEWS

David Flagg of Detroit is visiting his sister Mrs. Nancy Batterson and his mother, who will soon be ninety years old. He has not visited his old home for a number of years.

Charles Craven and wife were in Petoskey last Sunday.

Mother's Day was observed by a very nice program at the church which looked very nice in its decorations. There was a bouquet of carnations for the oldest lady, also to the mother having the largest family. The bouquets were appreciated very much. Also the home talent orchestra which was in attendance.

Mrs. Ray and daughter of Antrim Camps called on old acquaintances of twenty years standing last week. Mrs. Elmer Corsaut is visiting in Port Huron and other points at the present writing.

LOVELL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Small visited a few days in Mio last week.

Leonard Clement, Carl Tuttle and Max Tuttle spent a few days at the Ludd cabin on Big Creek.

Alfred Hanna of Indian River, visited his mother, Mrs. Joseph Doby a few days.

Wm. B. Mershon of Saginaw is spending some time at his cabin.

Mr. F. F. H. Morley of Saginaw

passed away suddenly Sunday afternoon at his cabin known as the Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Gregg and son Darwin went to Cadillac Saturday to help Mr. Gregg's uncle and aunt celebrate their silver wedding.

Doris, Hattie and Jennie Small spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Small. Miss Alice Nelson accompanied them, as their guest.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Budd of Grayling were callers in Lovells Sunday.

Mrs. Thomas Griswold of Bay City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Caid.

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